

# Lewis Sends 400,000 Miners Back On Three-Day Work Week

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### Red Spy Suspect Ends Life

**SARAJEVO, Yugoslavia (UP)** — The government charged Russia today with directing a widespread spy ring through Soviet Embassy officials. It also announced that one of 12 accused Russians had hanged himself rather than stand trial.

Only 10 of 12 scheduled defendants appeared in the Sarajevo district court when the spy trial opened this morning. The public prosecutor said one defendant hanged himself in his cell Wednesday and that another was ill in a hospital.

Enver Krize, deputy public prosecutor of the Bosnian-Serbian Republic of Yugoslavia, opened the state's case against the 10 defendants by charging they had engaged in espionage directed by the Russian Embassy.

**OFFICIALS NAMED**

The prosecutor named five Russian officials in the Egrad Embassies as the central men who directed Soviet espionage against Marshal Tito's government.

The court adjourned until tomorrow as soon as the targets were presented.

Krize identified the defendant who committed suicide as Vladimir Nekudov, before hanging himself, confessed he had worked for the Russian intelligence, for the Russian Embassy and "for his homeland and Soviet citizens."

The 12 defendants were among some 12,000 who fled to Yugoslavia after World War II. Some 6,000 remained and acquired Soviet citizenship when the Red army liberated Yugoslavia during World War II.

### Storms Wash Out Is-Land Bridge

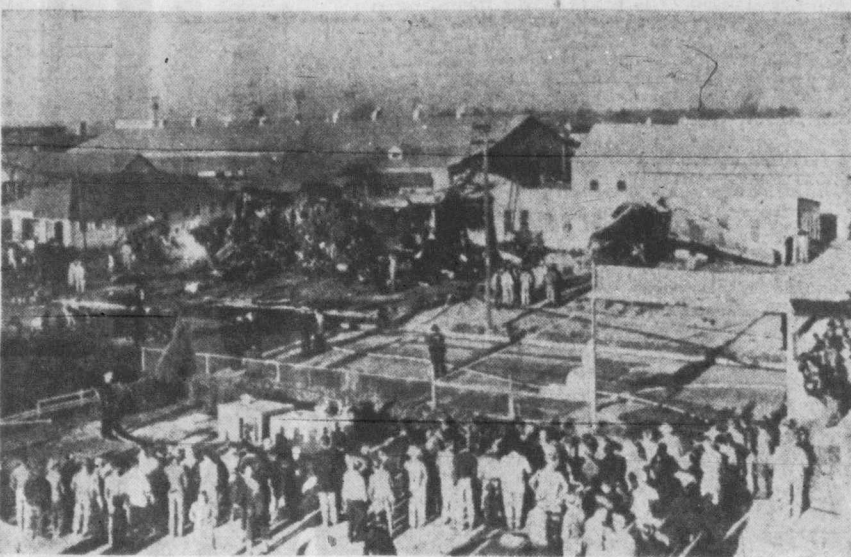
**MESACHIE LAKE** — New storms have taken out the bridge on the South Shore Road leading into Highway Bay. The bridge, which went out in the weekend storm had just been replaced for a automobile traffic when it went out again today. The rain-fallen creek also is washing out the road approach to the bridge.

### McNaughton Presides Over Security Council Sessions

**LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y.** — Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton of Canada today took over chairmanship for December of the United Nations Security Council.

It is the third, and probably last time the 62-year-old diplomat, soldier, scientist and statesman will head the U.N.'s key peace-keeping body. Canada will end a two-year term on the 11-member council Dec. 31.

During the period that Canada has emerged as a major spokesman of the western powers, McNaughton has led the delegation which works the year-round at the United Nations. That delegation is reinforced during



Where 28 Lost Lives

General view shows demolished aircraft building at Love Field near Dallas, Tex., into which an American Airlines DC-6 crashed while coming in to land with two engines dead. Of the 46 persons aboard the plane, 28 were killed. — (NEA Photo)

### Capilano River Rises Four Feet Overnight

**VANCOUVER (CP)** — British Columbia coastal rivers fattened afresh overnight as a rain front extending from Alaska to Oregon dumped more moisture on the area pummeled last week-end by gales and torrential downpours.

### Warns Of 'Prowlers'



**AMBASSADOR DOUGLAS** — LONDON (Reuters) — Lewis Douglas, United States ambassador to Britain, Wednesday night told leading British scientists at a Royal Society dinner that the west must meticulously guard from "prowling secret agents" and "subversive cadres" its mass of technical knowledge.

### Shaw Again Resorts To Naughty Words To Make His Point

**MANCHESTER, Eng. (Reuters)** — George Bernard Shaw today showed time had not stalled in him that impulse to pen the occasional curse-word.

The impulse—which found its most violent expression when the word "bloody" from a Shaw character in "Pygmalion" exploded years ago into the faces of startled playgoers—came out again in the stateley columns of the Manchester Guardian.

The paper reproduced a postcard scribbled by the playwright to a provincial Liberal Party association which had asked him "in expiation of his past sins towards Liberalism" to autograph a copy of one of his books for a fund-raising bazaar.

Shaw replied: "I never autograph books for sale. Organized Liberalism has always done what it could to discredit me, damn it!"

But, having rid himself of that shocking word "damn," Shaw proved that his impulse is not ungovernable. Drawing in the reins at the end of his note, he allowed his pen in another sentence to write only the initials "N.B.C." which, on the authority of the best etymologists, is presumed to stand for "no bloody good."

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**Vancouver Island** has taken first place in western Canada as a breeding place for high quality turkeys.

This was the word of G. L. Landon, B.C. Poultry Commissioner from New Westminster, who was in the city today to assist in the judging at the third annual dressed turkey show of the Vancouver Island Turkey Improvement Association.

The show opened at 10 this morning in the National Motors showroom. It will continue until 9 tonight.

Over 300 birds have been entered in this year's competition from farms as far away as Courtenay.

Judges of the show with Mr. Landon, G. R. Wilson, Dominion poultry products inspector, Vancouver, and Maurice Randall, poultry products inspector, Victoria, agreed the exhibits this year are the finest to be seen in the whole of the west.

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**ROME (UP)** — A nationwide 24-hour general strike called by Communist labor unions fizzled out before it ever got started today. Officials estimated it was only 10 per cent effective in Rome and 30 per cent throughout Italy.

In contrast with previous labor demonstrations, no trouble was reported anywhere in Italy, and routine public life was barely affected.

The Communist-led General Confederation of Labor had called the one-day strike to protest a clash between police and peasants Tuesday in which two men were killed. The strike call also signaled the start of the Communist winter campaign against the government.

Anti-Communist trade unions boycotted the strike, and relatively small parts of the populace paid any attention to it.

Government officials said 75 per cent of the state employees were on the job in Rome, and added:

"In all Italy it appears that the strike, despite its effect on industry in the north and on the railroads, is no more than 30 per cent effective."

In Milan and Turin, in the heart of the so-called "Red belt" of industrial northern Italy, about 65 per cent of the factory workers were reported out.

State railroad employees were on strike for two hours beginning at 10 a.m. Trains were delayed in stations during this period. Cleto Biondi, traffic chief for the railways, reported that service returned to normal after noon.

### Tanforan Scratches

**First Race** — Ensemble, Beauty Listo, Buster Bargallo, Demra.

**Second Race** — Mimosan, Famed Goldie, Sir Mark.

**Third Race** — Joe Berger, Win Out, Castle Oak, Hecanfly.

**Fourth Race** — Hay Raker, Neckline, Gipsy Joe.

**Seventh Race** — Rockhomme, Lyds Boy.

**Eighth Race** — Elenfair.

Weather clear; track fast.

### Weather Forecast

Cloudy with scattered showers today and Friday; remaining mild. Southwest winds 30 m.p.h. today, occasionally reaching 40 Friday afternoon. Low tonight, 42; high Friday, 49.

### Last Eye Saved

Mary Hope Hodgdon, 12, who underwent a delicate operation in Portland, Ore., in a successful attempt to save her one good eye, makes first move in hospital bed to play a record on her record-changer. Mary Hope's parents are both blind and she has been their "eyes" since she first learned to read. Her head is held immobile between sandbags so the delicate surgery will not be injured. — (NEA Photo)

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'Sure Cure'?

Jack O'Leary, 24, of Glendale, Calif., demonstrates one of the more than 2,000 remedies that have been suggested as "sure cures" for his 17-month siege of hiccups. Here, he drinks water through a pencil clenched between his teeth. This was supposed to do the trick, but he still hics once every five seconds. — (NEA Photo)

### Tenants Parade As Chief Justice Sets Hearing On Rents

**OTTAWA (CP)** — Chief Justice Rinfret today set Jan. 30 for the Supreme Court of Canada hearing on the validity of federal government rent controls.

The date was fixed at an informal meeting among the Chief Justice, counsel for three provinces—Quebec, New Brunswick and Manitoba—and property owners and the Attorney-General of Canada. No other provinces were represented.

Chief Justice Rinfret said he believed a judgment in the case could be handed down before the controls expire March 31.

Surprise was expressed by the Chief Justice when he noticed there was no counsel present to represent Canadian tenants at the court hearing this morning.

He said he had been delayed in arriving at the hearing because of a "parade of lessees which blocked traffic for 20 minutes."

The parade was held by 200 members of the Montreal Tenant Association, who were to confer with Finance Minister Abbott later today. The delegates came to request the minister to withhold the boosts in rental ceilings allowed next Dec. 15. The new ceiling permits increases of 18 and 22 per cent on unheated and heated dwellings, respectively.

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### All To 'Starve Together'

"And," Lewis said, "if there are only three days' work in this industry we will all have three days' work. . . . If we are going to starve in this industry at any time we will just all starve together."

Lewis handed out a terse statement today while policy committee members still were in a crowded meeting room at the Hotel Roosevelt.

"You have our statement," Lewis told the reporters. "That will not be amplified and there will be no further comment of any kind."

The miners went on strike at midnight after Lewis had failed to get any kind of a new contract commitment from any of the coal operators. He had been reluctant

to call his men out on strike again because of the Christmas season and because his men already have lost about \$1,200 in wages each so far this year.

But Lewis had no choice. He couldn't get a contract with the industry and there were no signs that new negotiations might begin in the near future.

Lewis' last met with the coal operators more than five weeks ago. Those contract talks broke off when the industry refused to grant any concessions to the union which might force an increase in coal prices.

Lewis has not yet spelled out what he wants in the way of a new contract. But he has said his demands would cost the industry between 30 and 35 cents for every ton of coal mined.

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couver are being taken to other cities to be sold."

Two of the cars recovered in Regina are from Vancouver. One is from New Westminster.

"Two men have been arrested in Regina," he said, "and we have hopes of recovering another stolen car there."

Detective Copland said stolen cars have been traced to Edmonton, Calgary and Red Deer.

### Buried In Sawdust, Boy Escapes Death

**VANCOUVER (CP)** — A 15-year-old boy narrowly escaped death Wednesday night when he was completely buried in a sawdust bin for 10 minutes.

Peter Dyck fell into a sawdust hopper at the Seymour Park Lumber Company's plant in North Vancouver, but was saved by his friend, 24-year-old Ulysses Joseph Dionne. Dionne pulled him out of the bin, and applied artificial respiration for 20 minutes.

Dyck is in the Vancouver General Hospital. Sawdust was removed from his bronchial tubes in an operation Wednesday night.

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### Atlantic Pact Lands Adopt Defence Plan

PARIS (CP)—The 12 Atlantic Pact countries reached unanimous agreement tonight in a plan to defend themselves against any possible aggression by Russia.

A five-hour session resulted in an agreement that top military planners of the western world hailed as the path to "international peace and security."

### Anglo-U.S. Plan For Peace Gets U.N. Approval

NEW YORK (CP)—The United Nations' Assembly today beat down Soviet opposition and adopted the Anglo-American resolution laying down the essentials for a permanent peace. The vote came after L. B. Pearson, Canadian External Affairs Minister, had urged Russia to halt the Cominform from trying to overthrow other governments by force.

The vote on the 12-point resolution was 53 to 5, with Yugoslavia abstaining. It was the largest majority for the western powers on a major issue in U.N. history. The Soviet bloc alone voted in opposition.

Just before the balloting, the 50-member Assembly heard Andrei Vishinsky of Russia shout a denial that his country is interfering in the affairs of Yugoslavia.

The Soviet Foreign Minister blasted Pearson and other delegates for what he called a campaign to destroy Marxism.

Immediately after the session Defence Secretary Louis Johnson of the United States left by air for Washington to take the plan to President Truman.

Approval by the President will release \$1,000,000,000 worth of military aid for Europe.

### Air, Ground Search For Elderly Hunter In Northern Alberta

GRANDE PRAIRIE, Alta. (BUP)—The R.C.A.F. joined the search today for an elderly man missing since Monday on a big game hunting expedition in northern Alberta.

Missing is 70-year-old Harry Eckert of Grande Prairie. He has not been reported since Monday, when he ventured into rugged country 35 miles south of this town.

A Dakota aircraft from the Northwest Air Command "K" Flight in Edmonton, left this morning to comb the area. The plane carried a crew of six and three paratroopers.

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police are directing a ground search consisting of six trappers familiar with the remote district.

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### Two For Mayor Of Victoria



MAYOR PERCY GEORGE



ALD. AUBREY KENT

City electors will vote a week today for their choice of two candidates for the office of Mayor of Victoria.

When nominations for the Dec. 8 civic elections closed today, papers had been filed only by Mayor Percy George and Ald. Aubrey Kent.

A veteran in civic politics, Mayor George has been chief magistrate since 1945. He was

elected and served three years as a member of City Council before seeking the office of mayor.

Ald. Kent has served on the City Council the last two years. He is a native of Victoria. He served three years in France in World War I. Called to service again in 1941, he was a member of the officers' survey board covering the western provinces.



Island Birds Now Best In West

Four tons of Christmas turkeys were on display today in National Motors showroom, 819 Yates Street, where the Vancouver Island Turkey Improvement Association is holding its third annual dressed turkey show. Close to 325 entries, some from as far north as Courtenay, were on display. Show was opened at 2 this afternoon by Mayor Percy George and Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A. Judges of show, left to right, G. R. Wilson, Vancouver; Maurice Randall, Victoria, and Gordon Landon, New Westminster, were unanimous in their opinion Vancouver Island now leads the rest of western Canada in the breeding of quality birds.

### LATEST New Capilano Bridge Goes Out

PARIS (AP)—France neared the end of food rationing today. The cabinet voted to take sugar and rice off the control list, leaving only coffee distribution controlled by the government.

### 'Beautiful Phrases'

FLUSHING, N.Y. (UP)—Nationalist China today rejected a U.S.-backed resolution on the Communist conquest of China as "a heap of beautiful phrases" unless the United Nations urges its members to refrain from giving military or economic aid to the Communist regime established at Peking.

### 18 Cars Missing

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP)—City police said today they were trying to link the recent disappearance here of 18 Ford cars with an alleged Alberta-Ontario automobile theft ring.

### Wants MacArthur Given Charge Of Far East Policy

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator H. Alexander Smith (R-N.J.) proposed today that Gen. Douglas MacArthur be placed in command of U.S. policy throughout the Far East.

Smith said he was convinced after talking to MacArthur in Tokyo that the General—while he didn't say so—would be willing to accept this broader responsibility.

MacArthur believes, the senator added, that the United States is neglecting events in Asia "that may well be the decisive factor as to whether there will be a world war."

Smith gave his views in an interview and later at a press conference in releasing a report of his recent trip to the Orient as a member of the Senate Foreign Relations committee.

### Bass Viol Stolen

SEATTLE (AP)—A thief with big ideas almost loused up the opening bars of the roadshow musical "Oklahoma!" at the Metropolitan Theatre here Wednesday night. He stole the orchestra's bass fiddle. A substitute was found and the show went on.

WEST VANCOUVER (BUP)—Raging flood waters swept away the 110-foot Bailey bridge spanning the gap in the Capilano River at 1.15 p.m. today, just five minutes after engineers and police had stopped all traffic across it.

An estimated 500 men were battling floods in the Vancouver district this afternoon as gale swept, rain-choked rivers went on the rampage. The Capilano had risen more than 10 feet since last night.

Families were being evacuated from the Seymour Creek area in North Vancouver, while scores of other persons were preparing to evacuate along the Capilano.

Police at West and North Vancouver said this afternoon: "The flood situation is worse now than it was last Saturday."

The weather office here reported gales reaching as high as 50 miles an hour were recorded in Vancouver last night.

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TORONTO (CP)—A big bankroll, wrapped in rubber bands and totaling \$2,000 was found on a street here Wednesday night. Today no one had claimed it. Henry Ryder, a streetcar operator, going home from work, found the bundle on the doorstep of a store on Queen Street in the city's east end. If it's not claimed in three months the police will return it to Henry.

### Ten Injured In Crash Of Glider At Rivers, Man.

RIVERS, Man. (CP)—Ten persons were injured, three seriously, when a glider crashed today at the Canadian Joint Air Training Centre here.

Rivers is about 150 miles west of Winnipeg and slightly northwest of Brandon.

Army officials said cause of the crash, which came on the landing of the glider, was not immediately known. They said a court of inquiry had been convened to investigate the accident.

Officials said names of those involved in the crash would be disclosed after next-of-kin had been notified.

The injured included an air force officer and nine army personnel.

The three described as "seriously" injured are not on the "danger list," army officials said.

The Hadrian glider was on a routine training flight.

Personnel from all three services—army, navy and air force—are in training at the centre, where instruction is given in all air matters—parachuting, air transport, air supply and air support.

### Urges Rail Board Do Economic Planning

OTTAWA (CP)—The Board of Transport Commissioners should do some "economic planning," an Alberta witness today told the Royal Commission on Transportation.

Hu Harries, Alberta government economic adviser, said it was inherent in the board's powers that it should do this type of work. The board itself holds that it does not have this function.

Mr. Harries was under railway cross-examination on a claim in the Alberta brief that the relationships between freight rates on raw and processed goods should be adjusted so as not to discourage the location of secondary industries near producer areas.

The brief contended that, so far as Alberta is concerned, the freight-rate structure discourages some secondary industry in that province.

Under the existing rate set-up, Mr. Harries said today, it is more economical to process goods near the point of consumption.

### Red Cross Still Aids Flood Sufferers

TORONTO (BUP)—Canadian Red Cross officials announced here today they would continue to supply emergency needs of evacuated persons in the British Columbia flood area until homes are restored.

### Last-Minute Changes In Saanich Election

Two last-minute changes in the Saanich election picture were made at the closing of nominations today.

Albert Doney, M.L.A. Newton Cross Road, became the 16th candidate for seven seats on the municipal council.

Mrs. Gertrude McGill, 1170 Tattersall Drive, was elected by acclamation to complete the unexpired term of M. P. (Pat) Faine as a Saanich representative on the Greater Victoria School Board. She will serve to the end of 1950.

### Track Blasts In Kootenays New Menace

NELSON (CP)—A demand for protection against bombing terrorists was made today by railwaymen in the West Kootenays.

Disturbed by a series of track explosions in the last three weeks, the rail workers called on federal authorities to take immediate action.

The men, it was reported, may refuse to handle trains in the Kootenays, running through Doukhobor districts where Sons of Freedom, a radical branch of the religious sect, have been blamed for acts of terrorism.

"The men are very disturbed," said D. D. McLean, district president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. "They are giving serious thought to refusing to handle trains."

In the latest explosion Tuesday night, a section of Canadian Pacific Railway track was torn out 19 minutes after a freight train had passed the point.

### 30-FOOT GAP

The explosion, in a rock cut near a dangerous curve, ripped out a 30-foot stretch of track. It left a crater six feet wide and two feet deep.

Police investigations reported all traces of the explosive had disappeared with the blast. In the earlier explosions dynamite was used.

Convicted of a series of burning and bombing charges, five Doukhobors, members of the Sons of Freedom, Wednesday were remanded to May 1 for sentence.

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### Washington Says Russia May Make German Peace Pact

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER  
WASHINGTON (AP)—A State Department bulletin said today Russia may make a German peace treaty and withdraw its occupation troops from Germany sometime next year.

The treaty would be made with Russia's new satellite "German Democratic Republic." The Russians sponsored this set-up in October, paralleling the creation of the new Western German state under British-American-French sponsorship.

The bulletin is an official publication of the State Department. This is the first time that speculation on dramatic new moves by the Russians in their play for Germany has gained such official recognition.

The speculation was set forth in an article by Henry B. Cox, a State Department expert on German political affairs.

Actually State Department officials have expected a Russian move on the occupation troop issue—a hot political issue in Germany—for many months.

### Two Reeves By Acclamation



REEVE-ELECT P. A. GIBBS  
Oak Bay



REEVE A. I. THOMAS  
Esquimalt

Reeves of Oak Bay and Esquimalt were elected by acclamation today when nominations for the municipal elections a week from Saturday closed.

Former councillor P. A. Gibbs was the only person to file papers for the Oak Bay reeve-ship, and Reeve A. I. Thomas of

Esquimalt was unopposed in his bid for re-election.

Reeve-elect Gibbs, a chartered accountant, lives at 773 Island Road.

Reeve Thomas is in the insurance and real estate business. His home is at 864 Selkirk Avenue.



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## Six Candidates Competing For Four Oak Bay Council Seats

Oak Bay nominations closed today with six candidates for four vacancies on the municipal council.

Four of the nominees are running for three two-year terms, and two are running for a single one-year term left vacant by Reeve-elect P. A. Gibbs, who resigned from the council to seek election as reeve.

Those running for the two-year terms are Councillor J. V. Johnson, F. E. Norris and J. F. Dick.

Competing for the one-year term are J. G. Rutman and A. W. Greaves.

Sketches and pictures follow:

### For 2-Year Terms

George Murdock, 2240 Beach Drive. Born in Victoria and educated here. Now manager of radio service department of Fletcher Bros. (Victoria) Ltd. Served as A.R.P. post warden in Second World War. Has been on Oak Bay Council four years and is chairman of the parks and lands committees.



J. V. Johnson, 1860 Bowker Place. Born in Victoria and educated here. Is manager of Evans, Coleman and Johnson Bros. Past president of Victoria Board of Trade, Victoria Automobile Club and Vancouver Island Association of Boards of Trade. Past B.C. vice-president of Canadian Chamber of Commerce. Was member of Citizens' War Services Committee during Second World War. Is president of Victoria Baseball and Athletic Club and Y.M.C.A. Has served on Oak Bay Council 16 years.



F. E. Norris, 2086 Granite Street. Born in Victoria and educated here. Bachelor of Commerce, McGill University. Oak Bay resident 15 years. Office manager, Vancouver Island Coach Lines Ltd. Past president, Junior Chamber of Commerce, Greater Victoria Film Council, Past director, Victoria Art Centre, director, McGill Graduates' Society, regional supervisor, McGill Placement Service, Member, Capital City Speakers Group, Oak Bay Kiwanis.



J. F. Dick, 2653 Orchard Avenue. Resident of Oak Bay 24 years. Served on Oak Bay Police Commission four years. Veteran of First and Second World Wars. Member of Royal Victoria Yacht Club, B.C. Police Revolver Club, Canadian Legion, War Amputees' Association, Monterey School Parent-Teacher Association, Executive of Oak Bay Boy Scout Association and Oak Bay High School R.T.A.



### For One-Year Term

J. G. Rutman, 1230 St. Patrick Street. Born Winnipeg, educated here. Gained B.A. at University of B.C. and B.C.L. at Oxford University. Practising law here since January, 1937, is member of legal firm, Straith, Pringle, Rutman and Gouge. Served with Canadian navy during Second World War. Played rugby for James Bay Athletic Association and Victoria. Director of Oak Bay Kiwanis. Member of Victoria College Council and J.B.A.A.



Support and vote for experienced Burgess J. Gadsden, candidate for Alderman, on Dec. 8.

A. W. Greaves, 2277 Central Avenue. Resident of Oak Bay seven years. Former Esquimalt School trustee. Is retired marine engineer and past president of Marine Engineers' Association of Canada. Served with Canadian Pacific Steamship Co. and during Second World War served abroad British Admiralty troopship Empress of Russia. Also took part in Victoria Machinery Depot war-time shipbuilding program.



### Many See New Club

More than 150 people were on hand at Colwood Golf Club Wednesday night when Albert Sutton, Victoria, district governor of the Toastmasters' Club, presented the Camosun Toastmasters' Club No. 737 with its charter.

The new club has 30 charter members and will meet every Wednesday at the Strathcona Hotel.

Charter was presented to the president, Steve Findlay, before representatives of Victoria Toastmasters' Clubs No. 38, No. 331 and No. 376, and Nanaimo Club No. 738.

In attendance were Mrs. Marjorie Naysmith, president of the local Toastmasters' Club, George Pears, president of the Victoria Thunderbird Toastmasters' Club, George Murdie, president of the Nanaimo Club, and Art Kinnis, president of the Victoria No. 38 club.

Robert Armstrong presented Mr. Findlay with a new gavel on behalf of the Union Toastmasters' Club No. 331.

Speakers were Ralph Purves, Harold Price, David Atwood, James Buchanan and William Thorpe. A dance followed the charter dinner.

SECOND HUNTER FOUND  
FORKS, Wash. (AP)—Delirious and weak from six days of harrowing exposure in Olympic Peninsula wilds, Leo T. Frelin, Seattle hunter, was found by rescuers Wednesday.

A state game protector and two profession cougar hunters discovered Frelin on rugged Hoh Head, which juts into the Pacific ocean. They said Frelin apparently had followed the same indistinct trail along Mosquito Creek that his hunting companion—Ernest W. Brooks of Renton—had used in fighting his way to safety Tuesday.

"We fired a shot. He fired

## One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

### MOLAR MINING

IT MAY BE BECAUSE my own annual visit to the dentist for an overhaul is long overdue, but I have been taking a morbid interest in certain new developments in the gentle (?) art of dentistry, both in Canada, Britain and the United States.

As for example, the new machine which was described to Toronto dentists the other day and which is said to threaten the extinction of the dreaded drill within the next five or ten years.

According to what a Chicago scientist told them, the new instrument of torture for molar mining is a hand-piece which will clean out cavities on the sand blast principle, by means of a high speed air jet carrying a fine abrasive.

### PAINTLESS, PERHAPS

THE USE OF IT, he assured his hearers, will mean that patients will be able to sit in a dentist's chair without fear of pain, instead of having to endure the vibrations of the drill. All of which looks good on paper—but, in this particular instance, I feel a close kinship with those who come from Missouri!

Not that I have much to kick about, Nature having dealt kindly with me when it came to giving out teeth. My molars are of the utilitarian rather than beautiful brand—poor things, perhaps, but mine own!

Perhaps that is why I am not so inured to the painful processes of filling as some less fortunate souls. Even the cheery way in which the dentist chats while you are at his mercy—with your jaws held open in a vise, bolsters around your gums and a tractor-plus-steam-shovel excavating down to the roots—doesn't make me feel any less sore.

### HIGH SPEED STUFF

THE NEW SAND-BLASTING technique doesn't sound so hot, either. I notice that it's the dentist-scientist who claims that it will be painless. But I shall receive that with reservations until I hear from a procession of patients who can prove it.

For I can't imagine anything particularly pleasing in having a jet-propelled load of sand—or whatever the abrasive is to be—forced into your defenceless mouth. What would happen if the abrasive—like the girl in the old lurid "mellerdras"—took the wrong turning and tunneled its way into your tummy?

But perhaps I needn't worry unduly. For by the time the process is perfected, I shall probably be wearing a lace cap and be reduced to two teeth that don't meet—or else boasting a bought set and feeling as if Ross Bay cemetery had been transplanted to my mouth.

### TELEPHONE TALK

INCIDENTALLY, that Chicago scientist described the sand-blasting machine by telephone to those Toronto dentists who heard it along with 6,000 other dentists in 155 cities in Canada and the United States.

This idea of teeth-talks-by-telephone is something new among dentists, for I see that the University of Illinois College of Dentistry in Chicago is providing some 7,000 dentists with post-graduate courses by telephone.

Now, if some wizard could only devise some way by which dentists could treat their patients by remote control at the end of a telephone, well—!

### MAGNETIZED SETS

PROPOS OF the latest developments since the British National Health Service started providing people with false teeth for free, sixteen persons in London have been fitted with magnetic sets, upper and lowers being polarized to repel each other.

The innovation prompted a letter to a London newspaper asking if a man with positively polarized dentures kisses a girl who had teeth of a negative polarity, would they bite each other?

To which the scientist-designer waggishly replied that, while it would depend on the girl's attraction, "any research made in attempts to disprove this would, I assume, be undertaken in a completely non-scientific attitude."

back. The cougar hunting dogs thick brush and found him," the with us crashed through the rescuers reported.

## Non-Partisan Candidates Agree Antiquated System At City Hall

Present method of governing the city was obsolete, in the opinion of Percy B. Scurrah, speaking Wednesday night at a Non-Partisan League election rally at George Jay School.

He echoed the feelings of at least four of the five other league aldermanic candidates who also spoke.

Mr. Scurrah said he was not criticizing the present mayor or aldermen. "They inherited the system. But it was time for a change.

The change would come, he said, with the appointment of a city manager or a director of administration. The duties of both were the same, but there was one point to consider:

"While the city manager can be dismissed by a majority vote of the council, the dismissed person must be replaced and a new city manager appointed.

"The city administrator can be dismissed for inefficiency or poor behavior only, and the position can be abolished by the city council."

Whichever position was brought into being, Mr. Scurrah thought a vote of the people should be taken before any changes were made.

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MR. SPUDNUT!

Ald. Margaret Christie, seeking re-election after five years as an alderman, took credit for opening the city's Gorge Road nursing home, the juvenile detention home and the hospital wing at the Aged Men's Home. She enjoyed the social welfare and health duties she had been given and hoped that if she were returned to office she would be allowed to further her efforts along these lines.

PROGRESSIVE PLAN  
William F. Pinfold, a newcomer to civic politics, said Victoria was growing rapidly but the city council did not have time to cope with the many problems which came with the expansion. But appointment of a city manager would allow the mayor and aldermen time to map out a progressive program.

Victoria was not an industrial city but there was plenty of room for light industries which would be encouraged here if the administration was efficient under a city manager. No effort should be spared, either, the speaker said, to encourage the tourist industry.

BIGGER STRIDES  
Another newcomer, Charles S. Henley, thought the city should have made bigger strides financially than it had done since 1935. In that year, he said, the population was 40,000 and the city's income was \$2,400,000. In 1948 the population was 60,000, 50 per cent more, but the income had increased only to \$2,800,000.

He criticized the "piece-meal" methods used in building the Memorial Arena and said the citizens will be paying a minimum of \$2,500,000 for the rink.

WANTS UNION LIBRARY  
Ald. Waldo Skillings, seeking re-election after a two-year term on the council, thought the government should be approached with a view to having a union library here, capital expenditure of which would be underwritten

by the four Greater Victoria municipalities on a per capita basis. The city was paying too big a share in the operations of the present library.

The alderman criticized his colleagues on the City Council over construction of the Memorial Arena and he demanded that the mayor or the chairman of the arena committee make known before the elections if the city has sufficient funds now to pay all the bills on the arena.

He had endeavored to adjudicate fairly and wisely "without fear or favor to any group" but had found little support from the rest of the council.

E. Mallek, the league's candidate for a one-year term on the council, said the correct way to run a business—and the city was a business—was to set policy and delegate authority to get the work done.

Department heads at the City Hall had not been given an opportunity by City Council to prove themselves, he thought.

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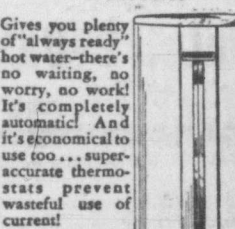
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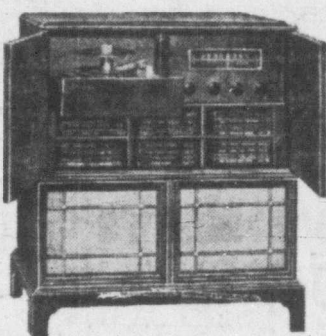
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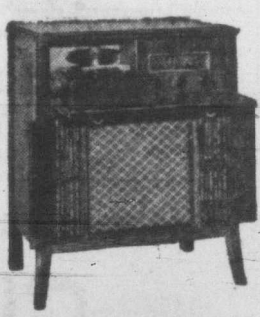
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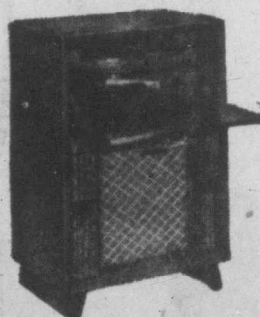
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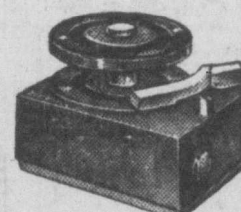


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## Court Disallows Motion To Dismiss Test Case

The test case trial on the validity of the city trades license by-law resumed in city police court today, but was remanded to next Wednesday finally in order to bring a prosecution witness into the court.

This is the case of J. R. McIlree, barrister and solicitor, charged with failing to have a subsisting trades license.

Herb W. Davey is defence counsel and Claude L. Harrison,

city prosecutor, is being assisted by Arthur Patton, city solicitor. The challenge on the validity of the by-law is being carried out by the Victoria Bar Association, members of which had their trades license fees trebled.

Magistrate H. C. Hall this morning reviewed the three main points submitted by Mr. Davey, ruled on them and disallowed counsel's motion for dismissal.

Following this, Mr. Davey went into his defence.

M. F. Hunter, city clerk, was called and produced copies of minutes of the council in which the consolidated trades license by-law was dealt with.

D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller and treasurer, questioned by counsel for both sides. He told of the amendment of the by-law to increase the city revenue, partly by increasing the trades license fees. He said the council gave instructions to draft a by-law that would bring the city a maximum of \$200,000 from this source.



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LONDON (Reuter) — Lewis Douglas, United States ambassador to Britain, Wednesday night told leading British scientists at a Royal Society dinner that the west must meticulously guard from "prowling secret agents" and "subversive cadres" its mass of technical knowledge.

Tenants Parade As Chief Justice Sets Hearing On Rents

OTTAWA (CP) — Chief Justice Rinfret today set Jan. 30 for the Supreme Court of Canada hearing on the validity of federal government rent controls.

The date was fixed at an informal meeting among the Chief Justice, counsel for three provinces—Quebec, New Brunswick and Manitoba—and property owners and the Attorney-General of Canada. No other provinces were represented.

Chief Justice Rinfret said he believed a judgment in the case could be handed down before the controls expire March 31. Surprise was expressed by the Chief Justice when he noticed there was no counsel present to represent Canadian tenants at the court hearing this morning.

He said he had been delayed in arriving at the hearing because of a "parade of lessees" which blocked traffic for 20 minutes.

McNaughton Presides Over Security Council Sessions

LAKE SUCCESS (CP) — Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton of Canada today took over chairmanship for December of the United Nations' Security Council. It is the third, and probably last time the 62-year-old diplomat, soldier, scientist and statesman will head the U.N.'s key peace-keeping body. Canada will end a two-year term on the

11-member council Dec. 31. During the period that Canada has emerged as a major spokesman of the western powers, McNaughton has led the delegation which works the year round at the United Nations. That delegation is reinforced during sessions of the General Assembly with cabinet members and others.

McNaughton is expected to return to Ottawa early in the new year since the necessity of keeping a top-ranking diplomat here permanently recedes as Canada leaves the Security Council.

In the haunting atomic issue, McNaughton has been recognized leader of the western powers ever since he joined the U.N. Atomic Energy Commission at its formation in 1946. Canada is a permanent member of that group by virtue of the Dominion's contributions to atomic developments.

To take that job, McNaughton resigned his post as president of the Canadian Atomic Energy Control Board. Previously he had been Defence Minister, head of the National Research Council and General Officer Commanding-in-Chief of the 1st Canadian Army overseas during the Second World War.

McNaughton's leadership in atomic talks was made evident when he was chosen to present to the Assembly in Paris last year the majority plan for atomic control. That plan was approved overwhelmingly then and again at the present session in the form of a Canadian-French resolution, over strong Russian objections.



Days to shop in? There's a score. But Daily Dawdle scorns 'em. So there will come a sorry day When Daily Dawdle mourns 'em!

## Destructive Thieves Smash Up Dishes

The burglars who broke into the 1425 Fairfield Road home of R. W. Murray Wednesday night left considerable destruction in their wake, city police reported. It was the third raid of this type since last Friday night.

After taking all the valuables they could lay their hands on, the thieves smashed every dish in the dining-room, threw apples and fruit about the kitchen, and ransacked the house. Contents of every drawer in the bedroom were dumped on the floor.

The thieves stole two rings worth \$150, a \$300 camera, one other camera, an electric razor, a dresser clock, a purse containing \$10, a \$5 gold piece and some silver dollars.

## Island Turkeys Set Record For Quality

Vancouver Island now ranks first in western Canada in the field of turkey breeding. This is the opinion of three government poultry inspectors who today judged entries at the third annual Vancouver Island dressed turkey show, being held at National Motors showroom, 819 Yates Street.

"These birds are as good as can be seen anywhere in Canada," Gordon L. Landon, B.C. poultry commissioner, said in commenting on the excellence of the show. "The island this year has proved its superiority among other western Canada centres as the best breeding ground of turkeys."

The parade was held by 200 members of the Montreal Tenant Association, who were to confer with Finance Minister Abbott later today. The delegates came to request the minister to withhold the boosts in rental ceilings allowed next Dec. 15. The new ceiling permits increases of 18 and 22 per cent on unheated and heated dwellings, respectively.

## Pleads Not Guilty

Thomas Drysdale, Victoria, this morning pleaded not guilty to a charge of being intoxicated Wednesday night in a public place, to wit, "the charge office of the city police station." He was remanded for trial.

## Storms Wash Out Up-Island Bridge

MESACHIE LAKE — New storms have taken out the bridge on the South Shore Road leading into Honey-moon Bay. The bridge, which went out in the week-end storm had just been replaced for automobile traffic when it went out again today. The rain-swollen creek also is washing out the road approaches to the bridge.

Millworkers en route to the Honey-moon Bay sawmill were forced to leave their cars at the bridge and cross over by the railway trestle to their work. High winds in the area also prevented loggers from going into the woods today.

## Board Recommends 1½ Cents An Hour For Truck Drivers

A conciliation board in a majority report today recommended a wage increase of 1½ cents an hour for 1,700 B.C. trucking company employees from Sept. 16 to Dec. 31, and 3 cents per hour from Jan. 1 to the termination of the new agreement.

The majority report in a dispute between the Motor Transport Labor Relations Council, representing the employers, and the General Truck Drivers and Helpers Union Local 31, represented the employees, was signed by M. H. McGeough, chairman, and R. K. Gervin, nominee of the union.

R. W. Underhill, the third member of the board, recommended no change in the present wage schedules of the companies. The union had requested a 10-cent an hour general wage increase while the council had demanded an 8-cent an hour reduction.

The majority award rejected the union's demands for double time for work on Sundays and certain statutory holidays and for overtime pay after eight hours per day instead of eight and a half hours and after 44 hours per week instead of 47.

Other changes were recommended in probationary period for inexperienced employees and for pay for statutory holidays not worked.

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Will Be Premier

Slated soon to form a new government is Sidney George Holland, above, whose National Party defeated the Labor Party in the New Zealand general election Wednesday. He is 56 years of age. — (CP Photo)

## Welfare Program To Be Continued

WELLINGTON, N.Z. (UP) — Sidney G. Holland, who said today that the free-enterprise government he will soon form will not disturb the welfare state program enacted by the Labor government during its 14 years in power.

But he said the new government will work for more production, fewer government controls, lower prices and less taxes.

Premier Peter Fraser, whose Labor government was defeated at the polls Wednesday, is expected to resign early in January.

## Officers Coming Here

Two officers of the National Committee for Mental Hygiene (Canada) will come to Victoria Dec. 11 and 12 to confer with provincial government authorities and representatives of various groups. They are Dr. C. M. Hincks, general director of the committee, and Dr. J. D. Parks, executive staff member.

## Two Fellowships

TORONTO (CP) — The Canadian Cancer Society today announced two \$4,000 medical fellowships have been established in memory of the late Dr. Allan Blair of Regina, director of cancer services in Saskatchewan until his death last year.

## Chiang At Chengtu Again Takes Command Of Troops

By SPENCER MOSA  
CHENG TU, China (AP) — Chiang Kai-shek was back today in command of Nationalist China's fight against the Com-

munists. He took over shortly after arriving in this new refuge capital from fallen Chungking.

The confused, travel-weary Nationalist government still was trying to set up shop in its fourth capital this year when the Generalissimo announced he was resuming direction of operations against the Reds.

Chiang made the move, his office said in a statement, as head of the Nationalist Emergency Council. The statement said he had no intention—at the moment—of resuming the presidency he gave up last January. But high sources predicted he would do that, too, before long.

MANCHESTER, Eng. (Reuter) — George Bernard Shaw today showed time had not stalled in him that impulse to pen the occasional curse-word.

The impulse—which found its most violent expression when the word "bloody" from a Shaw character in "Pygmalion" exploded years ago into the faces of startled play-goers—came out again in the stately columns of the Manchester Guardian.

The paper reproduced a postcard scribbled by the playwright to a provincial Liberal Party association which had asked him "in expiation of his past sins towards Liberalism" to autograph a copy of one of his books for a fund-raising bazaar.

Shaw replied: "I never autograph books for sale. Organized Liberalism has always done what it could to discredit me, damn it." But, having rid himself of that shocking word "damn," Shaw proved that his impulse is not ungovernable. Drawing in the reins at the end of his note, he allowed his pen in another sentence to write only the initials "N.B.G." which, on the authority of the best etymologists, is presumed to stand for "no bloody good."

## Land Reserved For Townsite

The provincial cabinet has approved a possible new townsite near Prince George.

By order-in-council the government has granted the Pacific Great Eastern Railway 569 acres of land along the line being extended from Quesnel to Prince George. The land is near Redrock, 10 miles south of Prince George.

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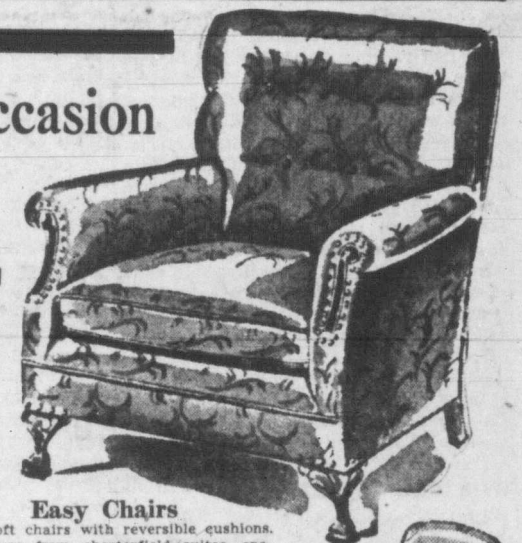


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## ANOTHER MILESTONE

IT HAS BEEN SAID WITH A HIGH degree of truth that Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill has lived many lives in one. Looking back from the vantage point of his 75th birthday yesterday, he had a vast field of endeavor from which to choose in reminiscing on the highlights of his career. These include active participation in three wars—in one of which he was a dominant factor in achieving victory—a distinguished record as statesman, which he hopes to crown with further government service, an enviable reputation as an author, world-wide acclaim as an orator and universal respect as a painter in oils. When with these accomplishments are taken his exploits as soldier in the field, war correspondent, horseman, student of history, and even bricklayer, there would seem to be little Mr. Churchill could do to add to his laurels.

In one of the most momentous eras of the British Commonwealth and Empire, he played an outstanding part. That could be a sufficient epitaph for anyone. But Mr. Churchill has meant much more. More than any other man in these times, he captured the minds and hearts of his fellow countrymen and supporters in all parts of the world. Where the struggle was hottest he carried the banner of hope and achievement, and flaunted it in the face of the enemy with a typical quip or a stinging rebuke. With masterly eloquence and imperishable words he rallied the ranks when defeat seemed imminent, and led his nation to hard-won victory. Nor has later experience diminished his stature as an analyst of international affairs. The perils he foresaw, the developments he foretold, have been borne out by subsequent events. What the future now holds for him—whether more years of political leadership or well-earned retirement—will have little effect on his place in history. Few men of such accomplishments are born. Their lives are displayed to the world in all their struggle, brilliance and success—and we can only stand in wonder at the sight.

## STATED PLAINLY

THE COMMENT OF C.C.F. LEADER M. J. COLDWELL in reference to the fall of the Socialist Government in New Zealand, that "a government that had been in power for 14 years with a slim majority always stood a chance of defeat" is not quite adequate to cover the situation. Here was a regime that was in the full flower of socialist planning, that had nationalized a number of industries, imposed state controls on prices and rents and trade, and that promised more of the same if re-elected. Their opponents, on the other hand, were dedicated to the removal of such state control and the re-establishment of private enterprise, and that was the main basis on which the campaign was fought. After 14 years of Socialism a majority of the people signified their wish to return to a system of private enterprise. The verdict is as plain as was the issue, and generalizations such as Mr. Coldwell's cannot obscure it.

## WIELDING THE STICK

CORRESPONDENTS FOR PUBLICATIONS located beyond the boundaries of the Union have been quick to note the implication of censorship in a recent statement by South Africa's Minister of Posts and Telegraphs, Hon. F. C. Erasmus. The words of the cabinet member in question were: "Those people who send reports to newspapers overseas slandering South Africa . . . must not expect of me that all their reports will reach their destination." While no censorship of the press exists in the country at present, it could be put into effect through The Post Office Act of 1911, which empowers the Postmaster-General to refuse to accept for transmission any telegram which, in his opinion, contains anything repugnant to the law—a clause capable of wide interpretation.

The attitude of the Malan administration on racial issues has invoked severe criticism in many journals. Other points of current South African policy have come in for their share of attack. Conceivably, instances could have occurred in which writers overstepped conventional limits in their handling of news. That is one of the dangers inherent in freedom of the news—a point made by Mr. George V. Ferguson, the able and distinguished editor of the Montreal Star, in his concise and lucid treatment of the question in the pamphlet he published in 1948. But, as Mr. Ferguson explained, "regardless of the inaccuracy, the irresponsibility, and sometimes the venality and corruption of the media of information in western lands, falsehoods cancel themselves out, or reveal themselves for what they are . . . the babel of the scores of information media, with their conflicting facts and opinions, fall upon ears well trained to sift out the wheat from the chaff. Little harm is done and truth emerges all the stronger for its testing."

Mr. Ferguson's opinion is not shared by those, systems of government which arrogate to themselves the right to control access to, as well as compilation, presenta-

tion and distribution of, news. It is, nevertheless, appreciated by those who have enjoyed the experience of a free press. The latter is not without faults. But in Canada, at least, its virtues are overwhelmingly preferred to those of any system employing dictatorial practices by any party in power. For that reason alone, the honest campaign against so-called crime comics and other disagreeable printed matter has encountered arguments against suppression based solely on the issue of censorship. And, for the same reason, the Quebec padlock law was utterly repugnant to most Canadians.

Under these circumstances, Mr. Erasmus has done his cause much harm. True, he has not exercised censorship. But he has "waved the big stick". And that threat constitutes an offence in the eyes of those people who are unalterably opposed to interference with the free flow of news.

## 'THANKS' WITH A 'YES' VOTE

TWO SALIENT FEATURES HAVE marked annual reports of the Victoria Public Library in recent years. One has set forth the service rendered to the community by the personnel of the institution. The standard of excellence in that sphere has been one to justify high civic pride. The other outstanding note in reports has drawn pointed attention to the overcrowded condition of the building. That situation, one which has vastly increased the labors of the staff and has cut down on its potential efficiency, has been a source of shame to all who recognize the important function a library should fill.

Times without number this newspaper has drawn attention to the distressing lack of space—a lack which has prevented the library from rendering even more valuable service in Victoria. For this reason we see the forthcoming by-law for additions and alterations as an opportunity for Victorians to show their support of the library by giving it the room it requires not only to grow, but to exist under the burdens of an expanding population.

Friends of the library would, of course, prefer a more modern, more spacious new building. Costs of such an undertaking, however, seem prohibitive at this time. The expenditure that can be authorized by the qualified voters on Dec. 8 will meet the needs of the next 15 years. An affirmative vote will be not only an expression of appreciation for past services, but an encouragement to even higher standards than have yet been reached.

## INSPIRING EXAMPLE

FROM LUNenburg, NOVA SCOTIA, comes a British United Press story of the work of Earl Bailly, many of whose pictures hang in the homes of famous people. They are, by report, good pictures, showing an unusual strength. But they differ from the work of other artists in one important particular. They have been painted by a brush held in the teeth of their creator, Mr. Bailly is a paralytic. He has not enjoyed the use of his arms since he was three years old.

To the layman, the ability to paint convincingly remains an example of a particular gift wedded to hours of practice, study and the development of a technique. It is sufficiently rare even among those possessed of all their faculties. When it is demonstrated by an individual suffering from the handicaps inflicted upon Earl Bailly it becomes a minor miracle. But it is more than an achievement in his case. It is an inspiration to all of us.

Parental determination and patience have gone into the victory Mr. Bailly has won over his disability, and have been matched by the determination and patience of the artist himself. There is a lesson here for all people who fret and fume over petty irritations and who create their own frustrations. It is one to make us ashamed of our inclination to side-step hurdles, to choose the path of least resistance. And it is one to inspire humanity with the will to persevere toward accomplishment, as a child was taught to overcome the almost insurmountable obstacles blocking the road to his goal.

## USING THE WORD LOOSELY

ACCORDING TO FUNK & WAGNALL'S New Standard Dictionary of the English Language, "politics" is: "The branch of civics that treats of the principles of civil government and the conduct of state affairs; the administration of public affairs in the interest of the peace, prosperity, and safety of the state; statecraft; political science; in a wide sense embracing the science of government and civil polity." The word has secondary meanings, including "Political affairs in a party sense; the administration of public affairs or the conduct of political matters so as to carry elections and secure public offices; party intrigues; political wire-pulling; trickery."

We cite the definitions because it has been suggested that politics should be removed from the City Hall. In the true sense of the word, what better place is there for politics than the civic administration? If the term is used in its debased form to apply to the centre of civic government, would it not be wise to define the instances in which "party intrigues, political wire-pulling or trickery" have been practiced by the council? Certainly there are no accepted party divisions there. Nor will the honest citizen suggest that particularly venal attitudes have been adopted by present office holders. Members of the City Council are not above error. But it seems unfair to charge them by implication with falling to carry out the wishes of those who elected them unless some definite breach can be established.

## Brow Of The Hill

TO JUDGE BY THE spate of printed matter on the subject, more men are becoming forty these days than ever before in history—at least more writing men. Each has his own particular way of treating the matter. Mostly, however, the articles on "Becoming Forty" have a common facade. It is a compound of bravery in face of the inevitable, and the false reassurance of the dentist's remark: "This won't hurt much."

Despite all the claims of literary figures, despite all the professions that "Life Begins" and its derivatives, there is nothing distinguished about reaching forty. It happens just because another year rolls around after the individual has reached thirty-nine. Nothing short of death can stop it.

WHAT ARE THE benefits of being forty? Robert Yoder suggested them a year or two ago in a Saturday Evening Post story. In his opinion, there are lots of compensations—but you can put them all in your eye. Mr. Yoder, as we recollect the article, stripped away the tinsel. Advancing years, he noted, were supposed to bring respect. Nothing of the kind, he added. When the attractive young things called you "Mister" in what you took to be deference to your more mature status in life, they were showing not respect, but sheer disinterest. And the term "Foolish Forties" is such common coinage that the myth of distinction through that age alone dies abomin.

ONE OF THE WORST features of the highly-publicized age is the misconception that a skillful propaganda imparts to it. The individual creeps up, month by month through thirty-nine, stalking the quarry that is the prize for becoming forty. One morning he springs into that estate, full of anticipation, anxious to claim his rewards. He has sprung into an empty room. There isn't anything there. His reactions are those of a guest who has come to a party a week too soon. Embarrassing no end!

Even the defences of "forty" are phony. A man, passing the anniversary, sits down to take stock, to begin to build that philosophy that emerges after the fourth decade. What does he do? Gazes fondly on the past, conjuring up again the triumphs of former years—the sprint he ran in his late teens, the dash he cut as a twenty-year-old among the younger social set, the satisfaction of recalling a comment from his boss, "He's one of our bright young men." They float through his memory, cut lilacs wilting in a bowl of recollection.

ONLY NOSTALGIA resides there. He projects himself into the future. What lies ahead? Only imponderables and the possible developments he may foresee from analysis of friends of more advanced age. But he must have a philosophy and he gets one—a philosophy of resignation. On the basis of past performance, he may realize that life has not cast him for some magnificent role on the world stage. Quite true, Conrad did not start writing until he was forty. The bulk of Shakespeare's sonnets remained unpublished until Will was forty-five. And Churchill had attained nothing like his full stature before he was well past that age. But the average man at forty carries with him few illusions. The callow dream of earlier years—that he is one of the chosen—has faded by that time. He may of course look forward to usefulness and some achievements in the more mundane arts. He may become an amateur expert with a skilllet, or attain limited fame in a cabbage patch.

TOO OLD TO BE impetuous, too young to be eccentric, a man of forty has to scheme. He has, or should have, one advantage over his juniors. He knows his limitations. Knowing them, he can concentrate on his strengths. And few strengths are as great as silence. The wise ex-athlete learns to leave his reputation to his friends. The outlandish claims of intimates over his past performances can carry unique conviction if he neither seeks to embellish them nor to deny them. The smile of indulgent modesty is a tower of defence.

TO ENJOY PRESTIGE the man of forty must make a closer study of flattery. The heavy oil that lubricates so well in summer, must be changed to the more refined, more smoothly-flowing fluid of winter use. Like an old athlete, he must, too, depend on positional play when associated with youth. He must put himself in a spot in which the game comes to him, not chase after it. He must locate himself strategically so that the surge of young vigor carries him along in the forefront, powered by the impetus of less calculated energies that bear him forward.

Nor does his mental effort rest there. He must exercise an unaccustomed judgment in many fields. The table that is one of his joys cannot become his overwhelming interest. The slipping waist-line counsels against too great a gustatory intake—that, and the threat of high blood pressure and other physical ills.

NEVERTHELESS THERE are compensations. There must be. Everyone says so. But two weeks of being forty have failed to tear aside the veils which shroud the hidden mysteries from which come the much publicized satisfactions. Could it be that the attractions of forty reside only in the minds of those who are sixty and remember how much better they felt twenty years ago?—A.H.S.

In the old days, it was the class struggle said to hell with the boss. Now it is collaboration and concern about the industry. —David Dubinsky, head of International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union.

## A Good Tip



## They Learned--And Taught

By DOUGLAS LARSEN from Washington

AMERICA has received its first reverse Marshall Plan aid. Last spring the Economic Cooperation Administration brought 30 young Dutch farmers to the U.S. to learn American farming methods. Now they are on their way home, it appears that they contributed more to U.S. farming than they are taking away with them.

### VARIED EXPERIENCE

They all spent the summer and fall on various farms all over the country, working and studying. Here are some of the things they left behind.

In the state of Washington a group of fruit farmers was shown how to trim and coax newly-planted trees so that when they begin bearing fruit limbs are stronger and they have a more desirable shape.

General American practice is to plant them and just let them grow until they are ready to bear.

In the state of Maine one of the young Dutch farmers showed a farmer how to get a bigger yield by planting potatoes closer together.

In Illinois a group of farmers was given a demonstration on how to string a new wire fence with a tractor, saving the purchase of special machinery for that purpose.

In Wisconsin the farmers in one neighborhood learned how to store manure to get several times more efficiency out of it when it is used as fertilizer.

Whenever it was discovered that one of the Dutch farmers was in an area, he suddenly was in great demand as a speaker before farm groups. Mostly the young visiting agriculturists were asked to talk about farming methods in Holland. They willingly obliged.

### LEARNED PLENTY

However, there was plenty of learning on the part of the Dutchmen, they admitted, when they assembled at E.C.A. headquarters just before starting the trip home. Among the things that impressed them was the excellent sanitation maintained on the dairy farms of Wisconsin, the efficient packaging and handling methods employed by almost all U.S. farmers, the use of money-saving machinery and the new varieties of vegetables and fruits which farm research is constantly producing.

No. 1 on the list of impressions they are taking back with them is how hard U.S. farmers work. C. M. Van Beekom, one of the 30, explains: "Before we came here we had heard of the fine clothes, fine cars and fine homes all American farmers had. Now

we have discovered how hard they work for such things. During harvest American farmers work Sundays and holidays. Dutch farmers never work on these days, regardless of harvests, and Americans work many more hours in the day, every day, than we do back home."

All 30 of the group agreed that the automobile made the most difference in a comparison of general farm living conditions in Holland and America. Willem Plasier says: "All American farmers have some kind of a car. This means they can get into the city and town as often as they want. It practically makes them city people. In my country, where practically no farmers have automobiles, it is a rare occasion to get off the farm."

### TWO CHOICES

On the matter of American farmers' daughters they were also awed. Because of their rosy natural complexions in the morning the Dutch lads preferred to see the lasses of their own country at that part of the day. But in the evening, they agreed, they liked to look at the American girls better, "with their drug store complexions."

The "look" they planned to take back with them included clothing, cigarettes, portable radios and milk-shake machines.

## Gadgets For All Occasions

BBC London Letter

ARE YOU troubled with flies? If so you would welcome the invention which BBC reporter, Thomas Cadett, saw at an exhibition of inventions in Paris.

The inventions on show ranged from large and expensive things that the average citizen could not possibly afford to simple gadgets that would be appreciated and useful in many homes. Such a device was a fly catcher. It hangs from the ceiling and has a coiled metal stem ending in a metal bowl that looks rather like a lamp. The idea is that flies land on the stem and get a severe electric shock. This

makes them faint and they fall into the bowl itself. And then there is no hope for them; for in the bowl is a red hot coil, which in first kills and then cremates the fly.

### NO FLIES

Cadett was unable to test its efficiency because there were no flies round the stand at the time. Whether there were none in Paris, which seems unlikely, or whether all those in the vicinity had been killed by the gadget's efficiency was not stated.

And then there was the anti-

bag snatching invention, which was something of a two edged weapon. This was a container of gas which, placed inside the satchel in which a bank messenger may be carrying a large quantity of money, is released if and when the bag is snatched.

The gas immediately affects the criminal, who falls to the ground unconscious and lies there till the police arrive. Should the messenger be unlucky enough to let out the gas himself by mistake, it is presumably he who lies unconscious until the criminal arrives to steal his satchel.

## Lining Up German Support

By JAY G. HAYDEN, North American Newspaper Alliance

THE days just past are likely to go down in history as those in which the bidding between western democracy and eastern Communism for the soul of Germany reached its zenith.

By announcing the creation of a 360,000-man German army in her zone of occupation, Russia began the restoration of German military power.

### LONGER STEP

In the agreement signed at Bonn, and ratified with surprisingly little opposition by the French Parliament, the western allies took an even longer step toward restoring German political and economic power and independence.

Despite their ostentatious locking of the door against German militarization, the western

nations almost inevitably will have to create a German armed force, matching Russia's soldier for soldier. And as the western Germans spread their political and economic wings, Russian will be under heavy and increasing pressure to grant comparable liberties for self-advancement to the eastern Germans.

### NO INHIBITION

While civilian statesmen in the west continue to soft-pedal the question of German rearmament, western military leaders observe no such inhibition.

The American and British military view, in fact, is that creation of a German army capable of stopping a Russian advance at the Rhine long enough to permit atomic air power to get fully into action is the prime essential of western defence.

The main difference between

Americans and Europeans in the western defence councils from the beginning has been as to where the Russians should or can be held.

The French, Belgians and Netherlands are primarily anxious to avoid invasion of their soil. Hence they demand that enough American and British divisions be ready to land in Europe to stop a Russian invasion at the Rhine. The British, while discounting their own ability to contribute to this conception, would be well pleased to have the United States go for it.

### FOOT SOLDIERS

American military strategists like the Rhine-defence idea all right, but only if Europe provides foot soldiers sufficient to stop the Russians initially at the Rhine barrier.



By DeWITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press News Analyst

WORLD peace has received another jolt as the result of the Soviet Cominform's call to Communists in all countries to join in a wholesale effort to unseat rebellious Premier Tito of Yugoslavia.

The Cominform—successor to the Comintern, or general staff for world revolution—hasn't disclosed details of its program. However, foreign diplomatic quarters in New York say they have received reports that an anti-Tito coup is planned for some time between Christmas and Easter.

This scheme is said to call for a revolt in Yugoslavia. That would be followed up by a call from the leaders of the rebellion for help from orthodox Communists in neighboring Hungary and Romania.

The crossing of guerrilla troops from a foreign country into Yugoslavia obviously would create a terribly explosive situation.

Hector McNeill, British Minister of State, gave the Cominform move a hot shot in the United Nations Assembly yesterday—the first time, by the way, the subject has been brought up in that body. He was discussing the recent Soviet peace speeches and remarked that the Cominform attack was "most remarkable" for a peace campaign, adding:

"It is more like a war manifesto than a peace manifesto."

The Cominform charges that the Yugoslav capital of Belgrade has become the nerve centre of a counter-revolutionary movement against Red countries, as well as a centre of United States espionage and anti-Communist propaganda. In short, Russia claims that Tito is trying to destroy the Soviet conception and substitute his new brand of nationalist Communism in the satellite countries.



## TIME TO ACT

New York Times  
One thing should be done, and it ought to be done before time for the Christmas turkey. If bakers can sell sliced bread, butchers should be able to sell carved turkeys. If that is done for him, the carver can slide his own plate in between the last of the firsts and the first of the seconds and so get to eat turkey, not onions. A Merry Christmas!

## DREADED WEEK-END

Ottawa Journal  
The week-ends are bringing so many tragic accidents that they are becoming something to be dreaded. Liquor is the cause of too many of the tragedies. But carelessness and recklessness also take a terrible toll. Those responsible for fatalities are not confined to any age group, but irresponsible young people account for more than their share of sorrow-making happenings.

## BUSY AS A BEE?

Christian Science Monitor  
The trouble with the honey-bee comparison is that it is used by the wrong people. It is claimed by grownups when it should be confined to children. Some nursery experimenters a few years ago found that a college athlete was completely done in by less than a day of following a three-year-old child around and trying to do all the things the child did. That bee you saw dragging its drooping wings back to the hive had been trying to drop a fleck of clover pollen on the ear of a three-year-old.

## AS HANDSOME DOES

Winnipeg Free Press  
Fresh proof that the English have a flair for coping with the law is provided in an item recently appearing in Time and Tide, of London.

Two friends went out to lunch. At the cold counter in their favorite inn they found an agreeable display of cold meats, including chicken and ham. Each ordered chicken and ham; but they were informed, a trifle severely no doubt, that one person might have either chicken or ham, not both.

Accordingly, one ordered ham and other other chicken. When the plates arrived, each solemnly transferred, under the watchful eye of the waiter, half his portion to the other, so that each received what was originally ordered—ham and chicken. No law was broken, the diners were satisfied, and the waiter was able to retire with a clear conscience.

It is just possible, however, that when word of this fait accompli reached the food ministry the official machinery of regulation may have quietly blown a gasket.





**L.O. THE FASHIONABLE INDIANS**—American fashion designers should look to the American Indians, rather than to Paris, for inspiration and fashion ideas, thinks Frederick Douglas of Denver, Colo., an Indian authority. The two costumes above were part of a unique fashion display staged by Douglas in New York to show designers what they're missing. Kate Campbell, left, models a fringed deerskin costume decorated with brilliant embroidery and silver discs. Deborah Reynolds shows the inverted basket effect of the old-time Indian housedress. The outfit is made of shredded woven cedar bark.

## Croplless Farmers On Prairies To Share \$17,000,000 Fund

REGINA (CP)—A big day is coming for croplless farmers on Canada's prairies.

They'll share a \$17,000,000 fund. It's no ordinary fund. Slicing it takes months of enormously detailed work by the staff of the Prairie Farm Assistance Administration in Regina.

"The rush starts about Oct. 1," said R. F. McGregor, P.F.A. director. "At its peak, about 1,500 cheques, worth \$500,000, go out daily."

There's nothing haphazard about the distribution. The P.F.A. office has a battery of six calculating machines hard at work. It needs them.

### MANY CHEQUES

All individual payments to the approximately 71,000 farmers who will receive P.F.A. benefits this year have to go through the machines. And the formula for determining a farmer's eligibility for assistance is involved.

Its basis is the yield of wheat in a township—23,040 acres. Where the average production is four bushels to the acre or less, a farmer receives \$2.50 an acre to a maximum of \$500.

Where the average yield is more than four but less than eight bushels an acre, the payment is \$1.50 an acre to a maximum of \$300.

It's not as simple as it sounds. "A farmer may have two or three holdings in areas which are calculated in different categories," said Superintendent G. C. Bruce. "Every rectangular block of six sections or more (a section is 640 acres) must be checked to determine its eligibility under the act."

This year, the 45,000 farmers in the dustbowl area of southwestern Saskatchewan—a region

which experienced its worst drought year since 1941—will receive the lion's share of P.F.A. payments, amounting to about \$13,000,000.

Farmers in Alberta will receive about \$3,500,000, and those in Manitoba—the province least affected by drought—about \$500,000.

Under P.F.A., 60 percent of the payments are to be made in December and 40 percent next March.

### 500 FIELD MEN

P.F.A. occupies an entire floor in the Dominion public building in Regina. It has 500 field men and a dozen supervisors in the three prairie provinces.

When it's time to approve applications for assistance, representative field men are called in.

The harvest is over. But the task of helping those farmers who have fallen victims to natural hazards remains to be done.

That's the object of P.F.A., set up in 1939 to assure the farmers in drought areas of "grocery and clothing money" until the next harvest.

### Car Theft Ring Spiked

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP)—Provincial police said here Wednesday they believed they had spiked an interprovincial automobile theft ring. Two men driving stolen automobiles bearing Alberta license plates were arrested in this area in the last 24 hours.

## Nanaimo Founder Of Fletcher's Dies

NANAIMO—Founder of the G. A. Fletcher Music Co. more than 50 years ago, George A. Fletcher of Nanaimo, died Wednesday.

Retired from business 15 years ago, Mr. Fletcher had been following his hobby of fishing. He had a cabin at Horne Lake.

He leaves a brother, Thomas of Vancouver, a son, Earl, now operating the company's Nanaimo store; a daughter, Minna Hall, in Vancouver, and a nephew, Walter Fletcher, in Victoria.

## Find Burned Bodies

ACTON VALE, Que. (CP)—Firemen late Wednesday found the bodies of two youths who were burned to death when trapped inside the three-story Manoir Acton Hotel, which was gutted by fire early Wednesday morning.

Almost burned beyond recognition, the bodies were identified as those of J. Arthur Roy, 22, a Montreal Bell Telephone employee, and Claude Montcalm, 16-year-old hotel clerk, a native of nearby Ste. Jeanne d'Arc. District Coroner L. Labourdais, ruled the deaths accidental.



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## U.S. Told To Arm Against Four-In-One A-Bomb Punch

WASHINGTON (NANA)—The Atomic Energy Commission says that Americans today should be prepared to cope with a deadly four-in-one punch from any enemy atomic bomb dropped on a major U.S. city.

Disclosing for the first time that there are four distinct lethal after-effects from a bomb detonated above the ground, the commission says a bombed city should expect:

1. Blast—that is, a wave traveling with the speed of sound which would simply engulf all objects with one high-pressured blow.

2. Wind—of considerable velocity which would follow the blast with the expansion of the highly heated air near the detonation point.

3. Heat—traveling with the speed of light which would strike down exposed objects in its path and kindle huge fires in the vicinity.

4. Radiation—which would penetrate the bodies of exposed per-

sonnel if they already have not been killed by the first three lethal effects.

The analysis of these bombing consequences is contained in the first comprehensive report by the commission's division of biology and medicine of what would happen to the city of Washington if it were hit by an atomic attack.

The report says the bombed city also could expect two relatively harmless after-effects in the form of a cloud which would sprout after the explosion, and a radiation point directly under the burst which would permit entry of rescue missions.

**CRUSH BRICK HOMES**  
The blast and wind, says the report, would crush ordinary brick homes for a distance of 7,000 to 8,000 feet, severely damage steel buildings for 4,000 to 5,000 feet around, and substantially damage steel-reinforced concrete skyscrapers up to 2,500 feet.

The commission says that long-range community planning to place projected hospitals, fire stations and other essential emergency services in properly dispersed fashion is needed to cope with such an attack.

"Supplies, supplementary fire-fighting equipment and new hospitals must be kept outside vulnerable areas," it warns.

The report points out that the attractiveness of the target to the enemy vanishes with dispersal and that the only alternative to save the lives of key personnel would be a large-scale shelter system.

"However, adequate warnings must be assumed for any shelter to be effective," adds the report, "hence, dispersal is far preferable."

The commission says the trouble with a shelter system is that, even if it does save lives of those taking shelter in advance, it does not guarantee the resumption of vital functions needed to cope with A-bombing.

It points out for example that, if a building housing the commission were within the bombed area, the building itself would be completely destroyed and the people who emerged from its concrete cellar after the attack would be helpless to do anything.

## Lady Bonham Carter Scores Left-Wingers Who Criticize Canada

LONDON (CP)—Latest to enter the political lists on Anglo-Canadian trade relations is Lady Violet Bonham Carter, vice-president of the Liberal Party.

Her contribution is a decisive rebuff to those who suggest Canada should soften the terms of any new wheat agreements with the United Kingdom.

"It is being suggested that Canada should sell her wheat to use for sterling instead of dollars," she told a political rally. "What is the good of that to Canada? She might just as well not be paid at all."

Lady Violet was commenting on recent suggestions from left-wing Socialists that Canada should accept payment for wheat in sterling. The current Anglo-Canadian contract, which will expire next summer, is largely financed by Marshall Aid dollars.

Referring to left-wing "campaigns" against Canada and the United States, Lady Violet said the trouble with the Labor Party is that it is always trying to blame other people for its own mistakes.

Lady Violet, at 62 one of the wittiest and most convincing speakers in British politics, is a daughter of the late H. H. Asquith, Liberal Prime Minister from 1908 to 1916.

Political observers have hinted that if Lady Violet was a man, the Liberals would easily treble the 10 seats they now hold in the House of Commons.

## To Attend Meeting On New School Site

ERRINGTON—J. Booth and R. J. King were elected representatives to the board meeting of Qualicum School District No. 69 Monday by a meeting of rate-payers here.

All districts in the school district have been asked to appoint two representatives each to attend the meeting which will discuss a compromise plan submitted for the site of a new school at French Creek, at a point nearly midway between Parksville and Qualicum Beach.

## Ex-Alderman Dies

VANCOUVER (CP)—Former Alderman Charles Edwin Mahon, a Vancouver resident since 1907 and one-time police commissioner, died in Vancouver General Hospital Wednesday.



## Moving Van Travels 3,500 Miles To Victoria

A 3,500-mile, two-week haul from Adams, Mass., ended in Victoria Wednesday afternoon for this Aero-Mayflower Ltd. moving van, a part of the U.S. company's transcontinental fleet. Dowell's Cartage, Vancouver Island agents, made arrangements here for the record haul which brought household effects of Stewart Morgan, American businessman who is retiring at 428 St. Charles Street. Dave Swanner, driver of the truck, will stop at Vancouver on his return journey to pick up another load of household goods going to the U.S. He says he gets home about once every three months.

## Gas Kills Two Foundry Workers

THREE RIVERS, Que. (CP)—Two foundry workers died of gas poisoning Wednesday night and a third who tried to revive them was taken to hospital in grave condition.

The two, Alfred Gagnon, 40, of Ste. Anne de la Perade, Que., and Philippe Rousseau, 20, of St. Casimir, Que., succumbed to the effects of carbon monoxide while working at a furnace in the Trotter foundry.

Constable Paul Brouillette, who tried to practice artificial respiration on the two, was overcome himself and was taken to a hospital, where he was treated with oxygen.

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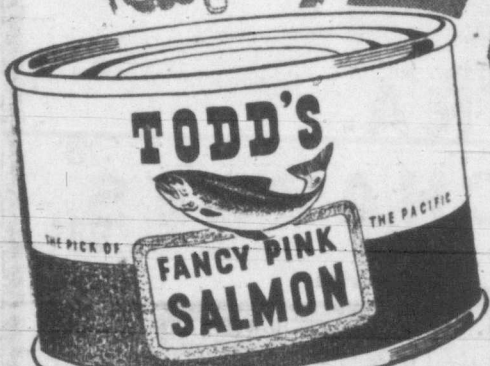
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## CITY OF VICTORIA BY-LAWS

### By-Law 1. Director of Administration;

### 2. Municipal Manager.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of Victoria that the Municipal Council has resolved that the vote of the said electors be taken by ballot at the time of the holding of the annual municipal election on the following questions, namely:

- "ARE YOU IN FAVOUR OF THE PASSING BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF A BY-LAW FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION PURSUANT TO DRAFT 'DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION' BY-LAW, 1949, PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY PRESS?"
- "ARE YOU IN FAVOUR OF THE PASSING BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF A BY-LAW FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A MUNICIPAL MANAGER PURSUANT TO DRAFT 'MUNICIPAL MANAGER' BY-LAW, 1949, PUBLISHED IN THE DAILY PRESS?"

AND THAT I accordingly desire the said electors to be present at the building known as the "Victoria Public Market," Cormorant Street, in the City of Victoria, at the time of the holding of the said election, namely, between the hours of NINE o'clock A.M. and SEVEN o'clock P.M. on THURSDAY, the EIGHTH day of DECEMBER, 1949, for the purpose of voting by ballot on the said questions.

BOTH OF THE SAID BY-LAWS APPEAR IN FULL BELOW THIS NOTICE.

Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, this 1st day of December, 1949.

M. F. HUNTER, Returning Officer.

A By-Law (Draft)  
To provide for the appointment of a "DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION" for the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria deems it desirable and necessary that an officer be appointed, pursuant to the powers in the "Municipal Act" for the carrying-on of the good government of the municipality, to direct and manage the administration of the City's business;

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the said Corporation enacts as follows:

- That notwithstanding any by-law, resolution or other enactment of the Council to the contrary, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria does hereby establish a position to be known as "Director of Administration" (hereinafter to be called the "Director"), who, when appointed, shall manage the day-to-day business of the City and be only responsible to the Council as a whole.

- That the duties and responsibilities in respect of said position shall be as follows:

- (1) To administer, plan, co-ordinate, direct, supervise and control the day-to-day business affairs of the City of Victoria in accordance with the policies and plans approved and established by the Council.
- (2) To co-ordinate and direct the preparation of plans and programs to be submitted to the Council for the construction, rehabilitation, and maintenance of city property and facilities.
- (3) To co-ordinate and direct the preparation of plans and programs to be submitted to the Council for the development, expansion, and improvement of city services.

- (4) To co-ordinate, direct, and broadly supervise the implementation of such programs upon approval by the Council.
- (5) To develop, establish, and maintain, subject to Council approval, and implementation by by-law when necessary:

- I. Comprehensive policies to direct the activities of all departments.
- II. Adequate procedures to govern the conduct and working procedures of the employees.
- III. Controls and reports by which performance and costs may be judged and improved.

- (6) To compile, consider, and present to the Council recommendations arising from departmental reports which require Council approval and to propose legislation or resolutions arising from such recommendations.
- (7) To direct the preparation and compilation of, and to present to the Council, the annual estimates of receipts and expenditures.

- (8) To exercise general financial control over all departments of city government in terms of approved appropriations.
- (9) To carry out or direct collective bargaining with all city employees other than members of the police department, to recommend to Council agreements concerning wages, salaries, and working conditions, and, upon approval, to administer such agreements, and in general to be responsible for wage and salary administration subject to normal grievance procedures.

- (10) To select department heads, subject to Council approval, to select all other employees (except casual employees) with the concurrence of the Department Head concerned; and to co-ordinate, motivate, direct, and supervise department heads and, through them, all other permanent employees.

- (11) To direct and supervise the normal aspects of personnel administration subject to the right of employees to appeal to the Council in unusual cases.

- (12) To account to the Council for his stewardship by presenting reports and information regarding progress and accomplishments in programs and projects, the status of receipts and expenditures, and his exercise of financial and administrative control.

- And without limiting the foregoing, the Director shall do and perform the duties and exercise the powers which, from time to time, may be assigned to or vested in him by the Municipal Council.

- PROVIDED HOWEVER, that the said duties and responsibilities as set forth above, shall in no wise be deemed to empower said Director, to have, perform, do or direct any act or matter that would to any extent whatsoever, encroach upon the Legislative powers of the Municipal Council.

3. That the Municipal Council is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint by by-law or resolution, such person as it may deem most suitable for the purpose of the carrying-out of said duties and responsibilities.

4. That the said Director when appointed shall enter into a satisfactory agreement with the said Corporation, setting forth the terms of his employment, salary to be paid, and other detail of his office.

5. This by-law may be cited as "DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION BY-LAW, 1949."

A By-Law (Draft)  
Authorizing the appointment of an official to be known as a MUNICIPAL MANAGER, pursuant to the "Municipal Manager Act," R.S.C. 1946, Chapter 221.

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria is in receipt of a petition signed by five per centum of the persons qualified to vote for the election of members of the Council, praying that a by-law be submitted for the assent of the electors authorizing the delegation to such official as the Council may appoint, any of the powers given to the Municipal Council by any Statute, but subject to the provisions of Section 4 of the said Act;

AND WHEREAS the said petition is sufficient and in a form to satisfy the requirements of the said Act;

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Council deems it desirable to grant the prayer of the said petition;

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the said Corporation enacts as follows:

- That notwithstanding any by-law, resolution or other enactment of the Council to the contrary, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria does hereby establish a position to be known as "Municipal Manager" (hereinafter to be called the "Manager"), who when appointed shall manage the day-to-day business of the City and be only responsible to the Council as a whole.

2. That the duties and responsibilities in respect of said position shall be as follows:

- (1) To administer, plan, co-ordinate, direct, supervise and control the day-to-day business affairs of the City of Victoria in accordance with the policies and plans approved and established by the Council.
- (2) To co-ordinate and direct the preparation of plans and programs to be submitted to the Council for the construction, rehabilitation, and maintenance of city property and facilities.
- (3) To co-ordinate and direct the preparation of plans and programs to be submitted to the Council for the development, expansion, and improvement of city services.

- (4) To co-ordinate, direct, and broadly supervise the implementation of such programs upon approval by the Council.
- (5) To develop, establish, and maintain, subject to Council approval, and implementation by by-law when necessary:

- I. Comprehensive policies to direct the activities of all departments.
- II. Adequate procedures to govern the conduct and working procedures of the employees.
- III. Controls and reports by which performance and costs may be judged and improved.

- (6) To compile, consider, and present to the Council recommendations arising from departmental reports which require Council approval and to propose legislation or resolutions arising from such recommendations.
- (7) To direct the preparation and compilation of, and to present to the Council, the annual estimates of receipts and expenditures.

- (8) To exercise general financial control over all departments of city government in terms of approved appropriations.
- (9) To carry out or direct collective bargaining with all city employees other than members of the police department, to recommend to Council agreements concerning wages, salaries, and working conditions, and, upon approval, to administer such agreements, and in general to be responsible for wage and salary administration subject to normal grievance procedures.

- (10) To select Department Heads, subject to Council approval, and in accordance with the policy established by by-law of the Council, to appoint, employ, suspend or dismiss all or any permanent employees except Department Heads, but in collaboration with the Department Head concerned; and to co-ordinate, motivate, direct, and supervise Department Heads and, through them, all other permanent employees.

- (11) To direct and supervise the normal aspects of personnel administration in accordance with the appropriate statutes of the Province of British Columbia and in accordance with the established policy of the Council.

- (12) To account to the Council for his stewardship by presenting reports and information regarding progress and accomplishments in programs and projects, the status of receipts and expenditures, and his exercise of financial and administrative control.

- And without limiting the foregoing, the Manager shall do and perform the duties and exercise the powers which, from time to time, may be assigned to or vested in him by the Municipal Council.

3. That the Municipal Council is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint by by-law or resolution, such person as it may deem most suitable for the purpose of the carrying-out of said duties and responsibilities.

4. That the said Manager when appointed shall enter into a satisfactory agreement with the said Corporation, setting forth the terms of his employment, salary to be paid, and other detail of his office.

5. This by-law may be cited as "MUNICIPAL MANAGER BY-LAW, 1949."

## Kent Promises to Keep Taxes Down If Elected City Mayor

A four-plank platform was given Wednesday night by Ald. Aubrey Kent in his campaign for election Dec. 8 as mayor of Victoria.

With other Non-Partisan League candidates in the civic elections, Ald. Kent addressed an audience of 50 in the auditorium of George Jay School.

Chairman of the meeting was S. Swetnam who listed the objects of the Non-Partisan League as follows: To keep party politics out of the civic government; to create an interest in civic affairs; to encourage suitable citizens to seek public office; to assist in the election of those candidates.

The four planks in Ald. Kent's campaign for election as mayor were given in his third public address since he announced he would contest the mayoralty seat.

He promised, if elected:

1. To bring in a positive plan which over a period of time will reduce the city's debt.
2. To introduce an efficient administration at the City Hall.
3. To keep up essential services within the city's means.
4. To keep taxes on land as low as possible commensurate with the above.

Ald. Kent reiterated his contention that the present mayor, whom he is opposing at the polls, had failed to give proper leadership.

He traced the steps that had been taken during the year towards bringing in a change in the administration procedure at the City Hall and credited himself with suggesting on Jan. 3 that a city manager or a director of administration be appointed to co-ordinate the various city departments.

### PAID NO ATTENTION

The council had not heeded his suggestion though, and it was a private citizen who had recommended employing the business engineering company of Stevenson and Kellogg to make a survey of the city administration and make suggestions for improvements.

The Stevenson and Kellogg Report had recommended exactly what he had proposed at the beginning of the year.

Ald. Kent thought the present mayor had been "drifting." He had never suggested a five or 10-year policy for improvement of city conditions. The city had sunk further into debt until now the amount was well over \$11,000,000.

### TRIPS TO EAST

The alderman criticized the mayor severely for trips he has taken to eastern Canada and the U.S. during his term of office. He said the mayor had explained these movements as worthwhile in that he had "represented the city with dignity and put Victoria on the map."

### Wild Life Movies Shown To Full House

Color motion pictures of the coast and mountains, presented by the Victoria Natural History Society in co-operation with the National Audubon Society of Canada, attracted a full house Wednesday night at a showing in Prince Robert House.

Albert Harwell of Berkeley, Calif., with the aid of a piano, reproduced the calls and songs of various local birds and took the audience, with the aid of movies, on a trip from Victoria to Vancouver, along the Columbia River and into the Rockies to Lake Louise, Banff, and Jasper.

Motion pictures of wild life, covering many phases in the field of nature study, were also presented.

The next lecture, "Sounds of the Sageland," will be presented at Prince Robert House at 8 on the evening of Jan. 18.

### hello VICTORIA!



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### Plan Card Parties

Another in a series of winter card parties put on by the men's society of Holy Trinity Church, Sooke, will be held in Sooke Community Hall dining-room Tuesday evening at 8.

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## Victoria Woman Finds Vienna Drab, Holland Happy In European Tour



MISS JANE HALL

Vienna with its four military zones, almost empty streets by 9 at night, is a dull and drab city far removed from the gay, continental capital which Johann Strauss immortalized in song.

Its famed carefree air has turned to one of apprehension in the view of Miss Jane Hall, well-known Victorian, and vice-president of the Victoria Business and Professional Women's Club, who returned to the city this week, after a five-month continental tour.

In an interview at her home, 2438 Lincoln Road, Wednesday afternoon, Miss Hall, told of an eventful trip abroad, undertaken to "see conditions over there for myself." If Vienna was the most drab, Holland was the brightest spot on the tour, she found.

### SEES FOR HERSELF

"I was not satisfied with books and newspaper accounts; I wanted to see Europe 1949 with my own eyes," she said. "I am glad to be home and satisfied to live in the most wonderful country there is. We don't know how lucky we are until we see Europe at first hand."

Miss Hall flew to and from Britain and told of waiting endless days first in London and then in Paris, to get the coveted Allied Forces Permit, allowing her to enter Vienna to visit a relative.

"You are told you go to Vienna at your own risk for it is a fact that people, particularly technical persons, are often reported missing," she said. "They are asking for tourists, but they certainly make it most difficult to get there," Miss Hall laughed. "Permits are required for everything, including one to cross the Russian zone by train."

### AIR OF TENSION

Military incidents, a general air of uneasiness, with no love lost between Russians and Austrians, were given by Miss Hall as reasons for the lack of people on the streets of a large city at night. She said people were fearful of going out at night.

"Prices are very high compared in relation to wages," she said. "A judge after 30 years' service would be receiving the equivalent of \$75 a month, a doctor \$65."

"Food was still rationed with

few eggs—no beefsteaks, of course. It seemed odd to see English chocolate in the shops."

Clothes of the people appeared shoddy with the women apparently not as well dressed as the men, Miss Hall said. Life, she added, seems to revolve around the "coffee houses" where people sit for hours and much business is discussed. She found the blue Danube swollen and grey and completely under Russian control.

"I spent three weeks in Vienna and did not attempt to go anywhere else. I didn't want to take chances after the difficulty I had had getting my Vienna permit," Miss Hall said.

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"I was not sorry to leave," she added. "The people seem to feel that as long as the four powers are in Vienna it is all right but have a great fear of communism."

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"In Holland there seemed an abundance of everything. Life seemed pleasant—and well-lit rooms were left with blinds up. The people are well dressed and the reclamation wonderful."

Conditions in Britain are still very difficult, according to Miss Hall, who queued up for food on several occasions just to find out what the British housewife has to go through. She said one person's meat for a week seemed the equivalent of one lamb chop to her.

A visit to the House of Commons to hear Ernest Bevin and attendance at a big Conservative rally, addressed by Winston Churchill, rounded out Miss Hall's trip abroad.

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—Photo by Ken

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## In Tacoma Following Island Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Albert Crouch are pictured at a reception following their marriage in First Baptist Church recently. The couple traveled up-island on their wedding trip and are now making their home in Tacoma. Mrs. Crouch, the former Ruth Marian Davey, is the daughter of Mrs. Davey, 175 Obed Avenue. Mr. Crouch is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crouch of Albany, Ore.—(Photo by Horace Draper)

## Spanish Food, Songs At Annual Dinner

A delicious buffet dinner of all-Spanish dishes was served to members of El Club Espanol at their annual dinner held at the home of Miss Rita Rodger, secretary.

Committee in charge included Miss J. Dickens, president; Miss L'Amie, past president; Miss Rodger and Cmdr. Nankivell, assisted by Mrs. W. Rodger.

An amusing program of Spanish songs and games was arranged by Miss J. Fleming. Next meeting will be held Dec. 7 at 8 at 732 Yates Street.

## P.T.A. News

Jordan River—Mrs. J. Young was named convener of the Children's Christmas Tree Party to be held by Jordan River P.T.A. On her committee are: Mesdames G. Mitchell, R. Kline, J. Elliott, G. Percy, J. Polier and Mr. G. Oliver. Bean bags and boards were made by some of the members for the school children to use in indoor games. The P.T.A. donated a basketball and two rubber utility balls are to be purchased for the school. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Kline and her committee.

James Bay—Members of James Bay P.T.A. will hold their annual Christmas bazaar in South Park School on Friday, Mrs. E. Bridger will officially open the bazaar at 2:30. Among articles for sale will be many useful Christmas gifts, including aprons, linens, woollens, toys, holly, plants and superfluities. There will also be a stall of home cooking, and afternoon tea will be served.



## Matchmaker's Worry Tall Girls Choosy

LONDON (CP) — Too many small men and tall women are a headache for Mrs. Mary Blair, who runs a marriage bureau in Holborn, London.

The would-be wives are all over five feet nine inches tall, while the men are around five feet four inches.

"The trouble is the women," says Mrs. Blair. "Although most men are willing to take a taller wife, the women will hardly look at a man smaller than themselves."

"I'm not going to have a husband that has to climb on a chair to kiss me," one girl told Mrs. Blair.

"If I'm walking with a small man I always feel like lifting him up by the collar to my height," said another.

### Y.P. Societies

Metropolitan — Plans for presentation of the Arion Male Voice Choir Dec. 7 in Metropolitan United Church with Miss Irene Byatt, contralto, as guest artist, were discussed at a meeting of Metropolitan Young Peoples Tuesday night. Betty Spiller took charge of the program which followed. Her topic was "Missions At Home."



All-Women Orchestra

Pictured above is the Montreal Women's Symphony Orchestra, only one of its kind in the world. In the background, with baton in hand, is Miss Ethel Stark, conductor and founder, who was the first Canadian graduate of Philadelphia's renowned Curtis Institute of Music. The orchestra—consisting of 70 to 80 musicians, depending on the program—is the only Canadian symphony group ever to perform in Carnegie Hall, New York.—(CP Photo)

## Bankers See Fraud In Women's Smiles

JOHANNESBURG (CP)—The word is going about in South African banks: "Beware of a woman's smile."

The warning is being given because of a recent increase in cheque frauds. Commercial firms as well as suffering because they have cashed worthless cheques for their customers.

A senior banking official said

women figure prominently in this type of fraud.

They choose a long line-up, he said, and take advantage of the teller's impatience and low resistance to feminine charm. The psychological effect of a woman on some tellers was amazing.

While tellers would demand verification of the smallest cheque presented by a strange man, many paid out without hesitation on the sole basis of a woman's smile.

## 27 Years In Gallery Brings Free Ticket

LONDON (CP)—Anne Wigley, 47-year-old primary school teacher, looked about her in Covent Garden Opera's Grand Tier and said it was "so different" from the gallery.

Miss Wigley had been haunting Covent Garden's "gods" for 27 years. When the management heard that her attendance at a performance of Benjamin Brit-

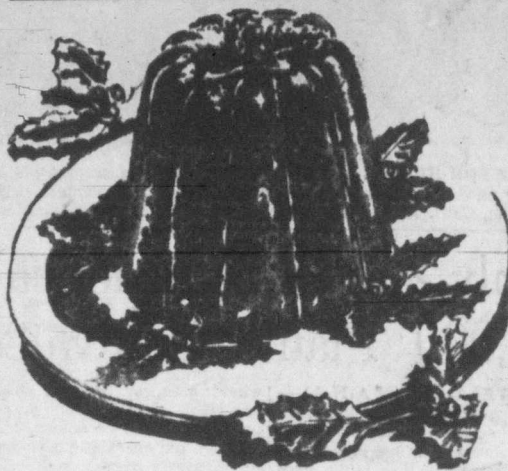
ten's "Peter Grimes" would be her 1,000th at the Royal Opera House she was invited to be its guest.

"So wonderful . . ." she murmured, adding as an afterthought, "I hope they realize I've seen 1,000 performances at Sadler's Wells Ballet, too."

HEREFORD, England — A Hereford bull calf was sold to a New Zealand farmer for £1,310 (\$4,062) — one of the highest prices ever realized.

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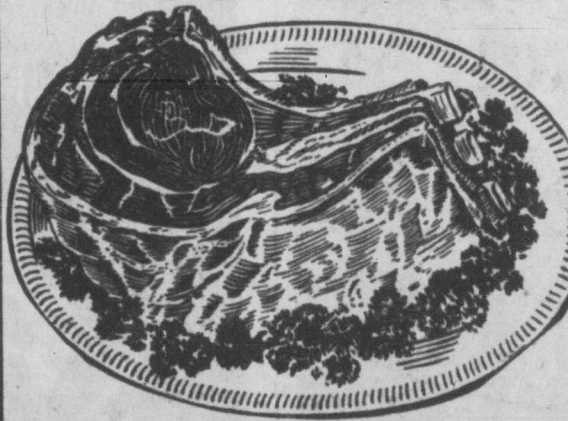
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## Your Baby And Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

### WHY SHOULD THE YOUNG CHILD BE IN A HURRY?

The young child may be quick to get into mischief but can dawdle unmercifully when he is getting dressed or eating a meal. There is every reason why children should be slow. They are inept at whatever they undertake to do. Putting on a pair of socks or finding the right hole into which to thrust a leg or an arm, may be a real puzzler.

And time has no such compulsion for children as it does for their parents to act. Why should a child hurry to get dressed, especially a child who is not in school? He has just as much fun putting on a shoe, or wriggling into a shirt as he has in building a train. And there is no place to go after he has dressed himself, so why hurry about it?

Eating is a slow business, too. It's tiresome for any child to load a spoon safely and get it landed in his mouth. The small child's appetite is easily satisfied and after it is, his chief fun is to push the food around on the plate, bubble into the water or milk glass or drop pieces of food over the side of the tray and watch them go plop on the floor.

Some children have slow reflexes and do everything at a slow tempo. They are no more to be blamed for their natural rate of action than is the mother to be praised because she does everything quickly. Yet it is inevitable that a speedy mother will be enormously aggravated by a slow-acting child. This has one of two results; the first, constant arguments, scoldings and punishments, which antagonize the child and make him reluctant

to act at all; second, the child's determination to hang onto his slowness in order to be different from the parent. He comes to hate speediness and dawdles deliberately.

Parents should help the slow child as long as being helped doesn't anger him. They can put clothes in the order in which they are to be used so as to make them less puzzling. They can offer small portions of food so the child will be encouraged by the ease with which he can clean up his plate. They can use a clock as an incentive to speed up instead of their "irritating" voices.

And when they have done everything they know to do, they should possess their souls in patience. The child is as he is, and words will not make him otherwise.

Our leaflet No. 63 "Helping the Slow Child," may be had by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request to Myrtle Meyer Eldred in care of this newspaper.

### Got Childhood Wish, Woman Verger Is 81

HAMPTON, Middlesex, England (CP)—When Kate Poynter was a little girl she was a tomboy.

She knew, when she grew up, that she wanted to do a man's job and her ambition was to become a verger in a church.

She waited a long time to realize her wish but when she was 56 the churchwarden of the All Saints Church asked her to become the verger.

"Certainly," she replied. "It's the job I've always wanted." That was 25 years ago. At 81 she is still going strong and is a well-known figure at weddings and church functions.

"I believe in being active," she said. "If I continue working as hard as I do now I'll live to be 100."

### Tasty Savory Cabbage, Almonds

Cabbage is inexpensive these days and can be served in many interesting ways. This "Savory Cabbage With Almonds" is extremely tasty and fancy enough for a holiday menu. Roast almonds and a bit of curry add the special touches to the quickly cooked cabbage.

Quarter cup roasted unblanched almonds, 2 cups milk, 5 cups coarsely shredded cabbage, 2 teaspoons salt, 3 tablespoons melted butter or margarine, 3 tablespoons flour, 1/2 teaspoon curry powder.

Chop or slice almonds lengthwise. Heat milk. Add cabbage and salt and boil two minutes. Blend butter, flour and curry powder, stir into cabbage, and boil three minutes longer, stirring frequently. Stir in almonds and serve at once.

### Gifts To War Widows

MOOSOMIN, Sask. (CP) — Soon after the Second World War, a group of war widows and their children in France were "adopted" by the women's auxiliary to the Canadian Legion branch here. Parcels have been sent periodically since. Recently this year's Christmas boxes, containing voluntary gifts of food, drugs and clothing, were packed and sent from Moosomin.

American toothpaste, mouthwash and antiseptic soap often contain Australian eucalyptus oil.

## Today's Recipe

### BEST PLUM PUDDING

One and one-half cups seedless raisins, 1 cup seeded raisins, 1 cup currants, 1 cup cooked dried apricots, 1 cup diced candied pineapple, 1/2 cup halved candied cherries, 1 cup diced citron, 1/2 cup coarsely chopped pecans, 1/2 cup coarsely chopped roasted almonds, 1/2 cup whiskey, 4 eggs, 1 cup brown sugar (packed), 2 tablespoons grated orange rind, 1/2 cup light corn syrup, 2 cups chopped suet, 1 1/2 cups sifted all-purpose flour, 2 teaspoons cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon cloves, 1/2 teaspoon mace, 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Rinse, drain and dry raisins and currants. Drain apricots and cut into quarters. Combine all fruits, citron and nuts. Pour whiskey over mixture and let stand while mixing remaining ingredients. Beat eggs, and gradually beat in sugar. Blend in rind, corn syrup, suet and crumbs.

Sift together flour, spice and salt, and blend into egg-sugar mixture. Pour over fruit mixture and mix thoroughly. Fill greased cans about three-quarters full. Cover with double thickness of waxed paper and secure with string.

Set on rack in large kettle, containing about two inches boiling water. Cover and steam six hours, replenishing water as needed. Cool in cans, then remove from cans and wrap well in waxed paper until used. Reheat before serving. Serve with hard sauce.

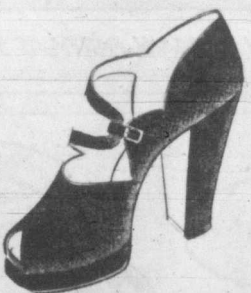
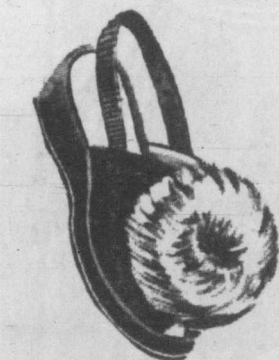
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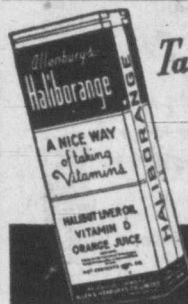


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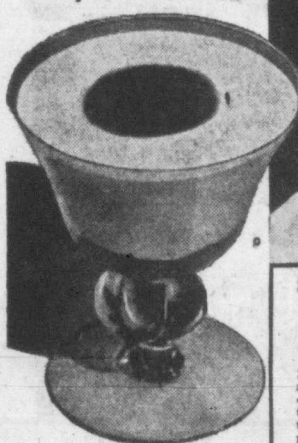
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**BULLY FOR HER... FOUR OF THEM!**—Cleo, a six-year-old Holstein cow, casts a wary eye about as her newborn quadruplet bull calves make their camera debut at the Sarafin Morais farm near Newman, Calif. This is Cleo's second set of quintuplets, bringing her total offspring to 11 bull calves.

## Only 200 Of N. America's 15,000 Plants Cultivated

CLEVELAND (N.A.A.) — Before we hop off in rocket ships for a look at the sun, stars or moon, there's a whole new world awaiting exploration right here on earth—the vegetable kingdom.

Wheeler McMillen, editor of Farm Journal and president of the National Farm Chemurgic Council, gives some idea of the wide-open spaces of botanical knowledge awaiting light.

"We have about 15,000 plant varieties on this continent, north of the Rio Grande," writes Wheeler, "and the best count I can get on our use of this tremendous resource of vegetable matter is about 200 plants. This is a pitifully small showing and is, as a matter of fact, an exaggeration. With the exception of tobacco, corn, squash and some kinds of beans, all our present American crop plants were brought here from Europe or the tropical countries. So we do not actually use 200 varieties of the plants indigenous to our continent."

**300,000 PLANTS**  
"Botanists have identified about 300,000 plant species on the face of the earth and, of this number, as nearly as I can get a count, the human race uses about 2,000 and cultivates about 1,500."

"We really are in the primer grade when it comes to plants; our mainstays for food, feed and fibre are the same as those used by primitive man. This is understandable when you realize that it is only in the last 50 to 75 years that man has had the new tools provided by organic chemistry, plant breeding and agricultural engineering."

"Naturally, our time has been spent in research on known plants. You know that hybridization has increased corn yields by 25 per cent and work in adapting the soybean to our soil and climate has given the corn belt a new cash crop. But we have barely scratched the surface. Let's suppose that some plant research man could come up with a substitute crop for our dryland

wheat area, or for the cotton-bedeviled south. Our surplus problems would be solved."

Great as are the possibilities for discovery of new cash values for known crops, Wheeler really becomes enthusiastic when speaking of the possibilities from the discovery of just one new crop that could aid men.

**THINK OF RUBBER**  
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"Is it not possible, therefore, that plants exist today whose potential values may equal that of rubber and whose possibility of service to mankind is as difficult for us to picture as it was for Andrew Jackson to see the possibilities in rubber?"

"Every species of plant native to this country should be analyzed, tested and data preserved for future references and comparison as new problems arise," said Wheeler. "Then the flora of entire earth should likewise be subjected to analysis and test."

## Lord Verulam Dies

LONDON (Reuter) — James Walter Grimston, 69, Fourth Earl of Verulam, who excavated the only Roman theatre in Britain, died Tuesday night after an operation for severe head injuries received in a road crash earlier in the day.



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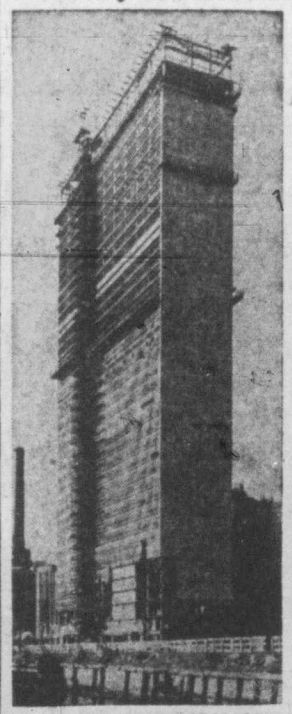
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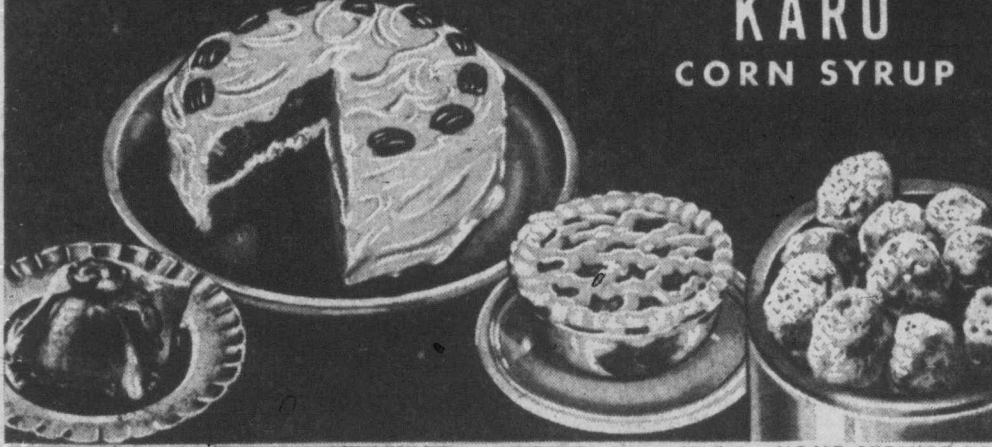
**U.N. RISES** — The skyscraper home of the United Nations on the east side of Manhattan, New York City, continues to take shape. This is a view of the east wall, which is built entirely of glass windows.



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## Court Asked To Free Prisoner In Calgary; Refuses

CALGARY (CP)—William Lee Wallace, charged with the slaying of Yvonne Levesque in an East Calgary auto camp Aug. 11, "should not be held as a pawn until the real murderer, whoever that may be, turns up or is captured," Edward J. McCormick, defence counsel, told Magistrate G. H. Rose in city police court Wednesday.

Wallace's counsel made the statement in making application for the Crown to adopt one of three courses—to grant bail, proceed immediately with the preliminary hearing, or withdraw the murder charge and allow his client to go free. The application was refused and Wallace was remanded to Dec. 8.

M. H. Staples, Crown counsel, told the court "every effort is being made to have the preliminary hearing as soon as possible."

Mr. McCormick said the information and complaint charging Wallace with the murder also



**BOJANGLES LAID TO REST**—Members of Masonic order stand in silent tribute (left) as the body of Bill (Bojangles) Robinson is borne to the Abyssinian Baptist Church in New York. About 30,000 persons—the small and the great—crowded around and into the church to pay their last respects to the famed negro dancer. (NEA Photo)

contains the name of another person (Mrs. Wilhelma Wallace) who is not in custody. In addition,

he said, a third person (Donald W. Henderson) is wanted by police "for this very murder."

Counsel protested the holding of Wallace in custody for nearly a month and said there is no excuse for not proceeding with the preliminary hearing. He said that if newspaper reports were correct, Detroit police officers should be brought here to give evidence.

Magistrate Rose said the Crown has no power to bring witnesses from another country, but "friendly arrangements" could probably be made to have them in Calgary to testify.

Mr. Staples said the crime was committed "quite a long time ago and it is very difficult for the police to marshal the evidence they believe available."

### TRAGEDY OF LAW

The defence said "it is one of the tragedies of our law that if he (Wallace) walks out of the Supreme Court a free man there can be no recompense for the time he has spent in jail."

Magistrate Rose then remarked that he had read the newspapers and, according to reports, Wallace "had made some sort of statement" which gave some reason for an escort going to Detroit and returning him here.

"It may be that the human

body can just stand so much and we want those American police here to answer to certain things," Mr. McCormick replied.

Wallace appeared in police court wearing a grey suit, dark brown shirt and green tie. He listened intently during the argument by counsel seeking his release.

Yvonne Levesque, 24-year-old waitress, was beaten to death in the cabin of Donald W. Henderson, 33, of Clive, Alta., at the Inglewood Auto Cabins, East Calgary, on the evening of Aug. 11.

Police answered a call concerning an accident at the cabins and found Henderson applying artificial respiration to the young woman. One officer relieved Henderson, who appeared exhausted, while the other went to call for medical aid. Henderson slipped from the cabin and disappeared.

A warrant charging Henderson with the murder was sworn out the next day, but he is still at large.

On Nov. 5 Wallace, who was being held in Detroit as an immigration violator, was said by Detroit police to have confessed that he killed the young woman during a party in Henderson's cabin. He said Miss Levesque had been struck when she objected to Wallace's attempt to rob Henderson, who had "passed out."

An escort returned him to Calgary from the U.S. city Nov. 13.

## In Business Again

**MOOSE JAW (BUP)**—A man and his wife from Palmerston North, New Zealand, said Wednesday they would re-enter the general store business in New

Zealand because the Labor government had been defeated.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stewart are in Moose Jaw, on their way back to New Zealand by plane. They will leave the west coast Jan. 11 after visiting relatives in western Canada following 20

weeks in the United Kingdom.

They said they sold their store before the trip, but would now buy another one and resume business.

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## 'Exclusive' Voting For Prince George

PRINCE GEORGE (CP)—Because city clerk W. G. Fraser didn't notice an amendment to the Municipal Elections Act, Prince George will be the only city in British Columbia not holding civic nominations Dec. 1 and elections Dec. 8.

Instead, Prince George's civic nominations will be held Dec. 8 and elections Dec. 15.

The nominations and elections were wrongly advertised for these dates, and now Prince George will have to stick by them.

Mr. Fraser, incidentally, is a mayoralty candidate.

## Irene Vanbrugh Dies

LONDON (AP)—Dame Irene Vanbrugh, 76, actress who was a dominating figure of the British theatre for more than 50 years, died today.

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GI GOLD RUSH—Men and officers of the 5th and 9th Reconnaissance Technical Squadrons stationed at the Solano County Air Force Base pan for gold at Webber Creek, near Placerville, Calif., in search of nuggets to gain funds for the purchase of equipment for their recreation room. Under the seasoned guidance of old-time prospectors, the GIs tried hard and had a lot of fun, but didn't enrich their recreation-room fund by very much. (NEA Telephoto)

## Dishpan Experiment May Solve Blood Vessel Disease

By JAMES W. HART

PITTSBURGH (UP)—Medical science, dipping into the greasy dishpan of 1,000,000 housewives, has come up with what might some day wipe out hardening of the arteries.

An amazing story of how research scientists have begun experiments with detergents, the popular soap substitutes, to find a way to flush fat out of the blood vessels was told here by Dr. A. C. Ivy.

Dr. Ivy, medical research worker at the University of Illinois, told a group that experiments with certain animals have been deemed successful, but no work has been done with humans yet.

Speaking at the University of Pittsburgh, Dr. Ivy explained that hardening of the arteries begins with the collection of excess fat along the inner walls of blood vessels.

### BLOOD FLOW CLOGGED

When the fat is in the soft stage, he said, pieces of it may become dislodged from where it has been piling up. Entering the blood stream, the pieces often reach the heart or brain and cause heart attacks or strokes by clogging the flow of blood.

As the fat hardens, the arteries become brittle, aging the victim and perhaps causing an early death.

Dr. Ivy said the dishpan really was responsible for the medical experiments. Researchers, he said, noting what detergents did to grease on dishes, decided it would be ideal for "washing"

fat off the inside of arteries if they could get it into the blood stream.

They developed a drug with a detergent in it and, according to Dr. Ivy, the outlook is promising.

Dr. Ivy continued: "In fact, there isn't a single field of medicine regarding which we don't have a real basis for hope."

### PROGRESS MADE

Medicine has made great progress in the fight against infantile paralysis, cancer, heart disease, arthritis and other major killers or cripples, he said.

"We are at a turning point right now in the history of medical research," the scientist asserted. "We have conquered practically all of the acute and infectious diseases."

Dr. Ivy said, however, that the common cold and polio were the outstanding enemies which so far have held out against being eliminated by science.

There is "real hope" that cancer will soon be brought under control, he said. He declared there is reason to believe that the key to the cancer mystery lies in the blood.

### SOLUTION SEEN

He pointed out that a cancer planted in the tail of an experimental rat will knock a certain enzyme out of the rat's kidney within a few days.

"Cut off the tail," he said, "and the enzyme returns to the kidney in a few more days."

"We know the only connection between that tail and that liver is in the blood stream. The answer must lie there somewhere. We've got to find it."

Dr. Ivy concluded: "We (medical science) have succeeded in practically doubling the human life span in the last century. Now we must make these added years worthwhile living."

## Dr. Coady To Speak On Credit Unions

Dr. M. M. Coady, world leader of the Co-operative and Credit Union Movement, will address the Victoria Chapter of Credit Unions in the lower Crystal Garden ballroom on Monday, Dec. 5, at 8. Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., will introduce Dr. Coady. Dr. Coady's itinerary includes visits to Prince Rupert, Nov. 30; Nanaimo, Dec. 4; Vancouver, Dec. 6; Cloverdale, Dec. 7, and Trail, Dec. 9.

## Still On Secret List

TORONTO (CP)—Canada's first jet fighter plane still is on the secret list and will remain so at least until first test flights have been carried out, possibly within a few weeks.

It was announced Tuesday at London, Eng., that Sqdn. Ldr. W. A. (Bill) Waterton, D.F.C., formerly of Edmonton, is flying to Canada to carry out the test flights on the new XC-100, produced at Malton, near Toronto, by the A. V. Roe Company of Canada Ltd. The same company produced North America's first jet transport plane, which has already had several flight tests.

An official of the A. V. Roe firm told the Canadian Press that the jet fighter definitely is secret until authorities have studied results of the tests.

## Pastor Dies In Toronto

TORONTO (CP)—Rev. Tobias Fletcher, 74, active in the ministry of the Free Methodist Church for more than 40 years, died Tuesday. He served pastorates in western Canada and in Ontario.

Traveling at 50 miles per hour, an automobile covers at least 160 feet in coming to a fast stop.

## Turns Down Request To Run As Reeve

Councillor A. C. Wurtele of Esquimalt Wednesday turned down a request by a delegation of municipal property owners to run this year for the office of reeve in opposition to Reeve A. I. Thomas.

Councillor Wurtele said he

definitely would not seek the reevehip this year as he would not have the proper time to devote to such office. Councillor Wurtele has still one year to go on his current term of office on the council.

Contracts totaling more than \$41,000,000 have been let to date in connection with the construction of the Alberta-Lakehead oil pipeline.

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Bob steadied himself. "Our picture? Whatever for?"

"The Bank manager asked me if he could use it in a Bank advertisement because we're so important and after he explained it, I said it sounded wonderful," replied Betty.

"Since when does our couple of hundred in the Bank make The Bank of Nova Scotia think we're so important?"

"The man said it's because of the schools and highways and social services and bridges and fish and things like that."

"Fish?"

"Fishermen, silly! We helped them by having money in the Bank which the Bank could lend to them to buy boats and nets and things. We also helped farmers, lumbermen, miners, and people in hundreds of different businesses, and we helped build all those things like I just said."

"Well!" exclaimed Bob, relaxing a bit. "Now it's beginning to come clear. You mean the Bank wants to say that we're just an average couple representing all Bank of Nova Scotia customers?"

"That's right dear : : that's just what the man said. Wait a second, I'll show you the paper he gave me."

Betty burrowed in her purse for a moment and came up triumphantly with a sheet of paper. It was a condensed Bank statement.

Bob's eyes widened. "Don't tell me you have suddenly become conscious of where money comes from and where it goes," he said with mock gravity.

Betty ignored the remark. "Now look here, Bob. Deposits . . . that's our money, and the money of thousands of others just like us, totalled over \$749 million."

"Uh-huh."

"All right. Now look up at the top here. They keep about \$146 million in cash to look after the daily needs of people who want to draw out money, and there's enough extra in government bonds, and stocks and what the manager says they call short term loans, to take care of emergencies if a lot of people wanted all their money at once."

"Yes, I can see that."

"But government securities and other bonds are just other names for loans, to help governments to build new roads, schools, and so on, or to help businesses make more goods and

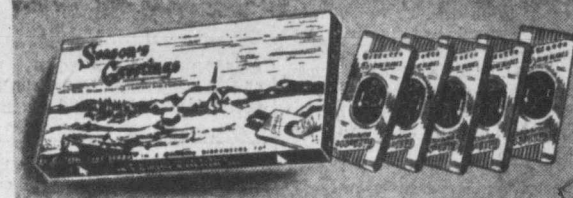
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### GILLETTE ROCKET GIFT SET

Gay window package contains a Gillette Rocket One-Piece Razor and 10-Blade Dispenser, two regular size tubes of Gillette Shaving Cream and an extra Dispenser holding 10 Gillette Blue Blades.

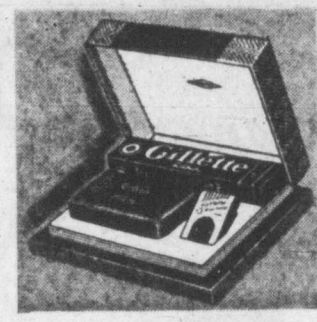
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CONDENSED GENERAL STATEMENT THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA AS AT 31st OCTOBER, 1949	
ASSETS	
Cash, clearings and due from banks	\$906,308,013.56
Government and other public securities, not exceeding market value	264,178,008.72
Other bonds and stocks, not exceeding market value	24,906,731.03
Call loans (secured)	38,234,632.46
Other loans and discounts (after full provision for bad and doubtful debts)	307,166,945.47
Liabilities of customers under acceptances and letters of credit (as per contra)	15,900,129.97
Bank premises	6,527,535.51
Shares of and loans to controlled companies	6,483,399.04
Other assets	852,138.84
	\$906,308,701.34
LIABILITIES	
Notes in circulation	\$ 1,224,016.91
Deposits	749,190,764.43
Acceptances and letters of credit outstanding	15,900,129.97
Other liabilities	772,408.56
Capital	12,000,000.00
Reserve fund	24,000,000.00
Undivided profits	2,560,693.52
	\$906,308,701.34

develop new products. That not only puts more people to work . . . it means that there will be better conditions, and more things for us to buy at cheaper prices."

"As an economist, dear, you amaze me. Go on."

"Well, if you add up all these loans you'll find they total over \$629 million. Do you know what, Bob? The manager and I figured out that this would be almost \$50 for every man, woman and child in Canada!"

"In other words," said Bob, "Bank of Nova Scotia customers, by keeping their money on deposit, put about \$50 of new life behind business in this country for every person in the country."

"That's right. So you see, our savings helped to make the whole country better . . . they helped us, too!"

"Say, we seem to be getting double value here. We're not only got a nice nest egg of savings, but at the same time our money is out working in dozens of ways . . . money loaned to governments and businesses of every sort to make the country more prosperous . . . even money loaned to thousands of individuals who need Bank credit to tide them over emergencies or let them take advantage of special opportunities."

"That's right dear. Now do you see why the Bank thinks we're important?"

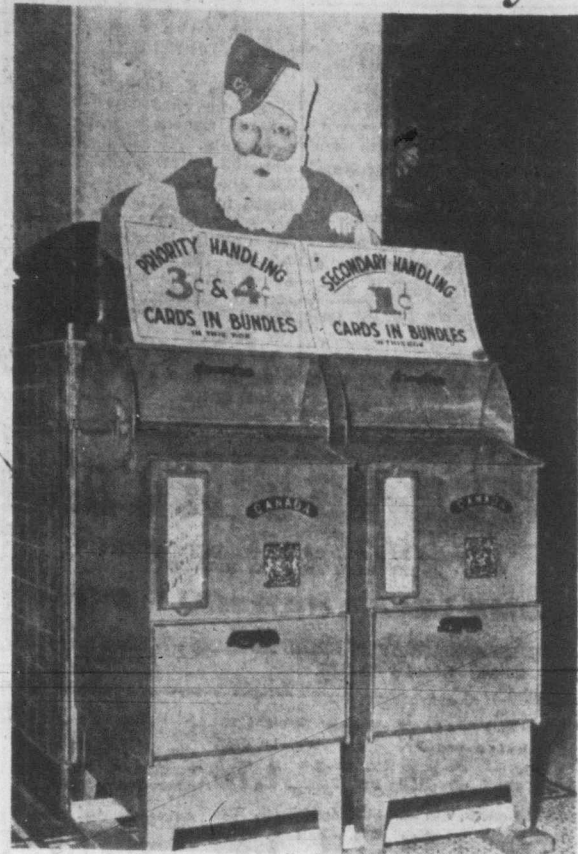
"I'll say so. Confidentially," he added with a grin, putting his arm around her, "I think you're mighty important, too!"

# The BANK of NOVA SCOTIA

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## Segregation System To Cut Mail Delays



These boxes in the Post Office lobby have been introduced to lessen the huge Christmas mail sorting task which keeps postal employees working 'round the clock during December. Segregation of one-cent (third class) mail will ensure a minimum of delay for first-class mail.

Essential first-class mail will not be delayed through avalanches of Christmas cards this year, J. B. Sinclair, local postmaster, said today.

Heretofore, first-class mail with four-cent stamps for out-of-town points and three-cent stamps for city delivery, has been held up to a certain extent during the Christmas rush—but a new plan now being brought into operation is expected to practically eliminate such delays. "Citizens cannot expect to get the same service for one-cent (third-class) mail as for first-class mail. We will give priority to first-class mail, and the other will have to wait its turn," the postmaster stated.

The co-operation of the public is needed, however, he added. It is suggested mailers tie the cards—even just a few—into bundles for mailing. It is quite proper to drop these bundles of letters into parcel post boxes.

For even fuller co-operation, people can segregate local letters and include a slip of paper marked "city mail" when tying the bundle.

Two parcel boxes have been placed in the post office lobby, one for bundles of one-cent (unsealed) letters or cards, the other for bundles of three and four-cent (sealed) mail.

One-cent letters will not be included in the "all-up" air mail service this year, since last Christmas, in its first year of operation, the service was overloaded, causing first-class mail to be held up.

The postmaster said there was a slight lull in volume of mail now being handled following the overseas parcels peak, but he expects the "real rush" to start about Monday.

First of extra Christmas help, which will likely number around 375 at the height of the rush period, will start work during the second week in December.

## The DOCTOR Says:

### CHILDREN BORN WITH 'CLUB FEET' SHOULD HAVE TREATMENTS EARLY

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.

When a child is born with a twisted foot, the condition is called "club foot." There are several ideas as to the cause of this condition, but actually no one knows all the answers. One theory is that the club foot is the result of pressure and abnormal position of the foot inside the womb of the mother. Another is that it is caused by a failure to develop, probably before birth, possibly because of something inherited directly from the parents.

All parts of the foot are affected in a club foot. The deformed foot is usually smaller than the normal foot. The heel is especially likely to be smaller and underdeveloped. Frequently, the foot is so twisted that all of the weight is carried either on the ball of the foot or even on what would normally be the top of the foot. The tendons and bones of the foot are consequently out of line.

### CONDITION GETS WORSE

If a club foot remains untreated, the condition tends to become worse, largely because of the increased pressure from abnormal weight bearing. In the simpler varieties of club foot, however, the foot can usually be restored to normal or near normal by proper treatment. To get the best results, treatment should be begun early and continued for a long time, as there is danger of return or recurrence. The earlier treatment is begun, the better the chances of obtaining good results.

If the condition is severe and has not been almost completely cured, the youngster will become more and more conscious of the difficulty with increasing years. Under such circumstances, parents, brothers and sisters, and friends need to use tact and understanding so that the child does not become too much disturbed about his or her problem.

Question: If a child two years old has tuberculosis in the

glands of his neck will he outgrow it?

Answer: Tuberculosis of the glands of the neck used to be much more common than it is now. If the diagnosis is made early and proper treatment started, the majority succeed in overcoming this condition.

In 1858 the British Museum paid 300 guineas for the autograph of William Shakespeare.

## Two Albino Rhinos Caught In Africa In Khartoum Zoo

KHARTOUM, Sudan (UP)—Paul and Cloe, two rare white rhinoceroses, are now on view at the Khartoum Zoo.

The one-horned couple belong to the rarest species of big game in the world. Professional game hunters estimate there are not more than 1,000 rhinoceroses alive in the world today.

It is a near impossibility to capture a white rhino alive. The roping of Paul and Cloe was due to the skill of a 33-year-old professional trapper, Carr Hartley, of Kenya.

Hartley got the rhinos after a

hand-fight with one of them which lasted for five minutes. The pair finally were lassoed and brought in with a motor winch.

Under the softening influence of an expensive diet of maize meal porridge and sweetened condensed milk, the two rhinos became quite sociable. Paul and Cloe got to know many of their regular visitors extremely well, and delighted squeaks would

emerge from their huge throats at the approach of a special friend.

Their present value is somewhat above \$10,000 (approximately \$35,000).

Should any foreign zoo put up an attractive offer for the precious pair, the Sudan government may part with them. The money would go towards the cost of substantial improvements in the Khartoum Zoo.

## VICTORIA AND DISTRICT

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ASSOCIATED INDEPENDENT DRUGGISTS

Airwick	89c, \$1.19
Dickson's Stomach Powders	75c, \$1.50
Prell	29c, 59c, 89c
Dettol	59c, \$1.95
Dr. West Tooth Brushes	50c
Children's Own Tablets	29c
Toni	\$2.79
Toni Refills	\$1.25
Vick's Vatronal	45c
Zam Buk	47c
Mennen's Baby Oil	59c
Williams' Glider Brushless Shave	35c, 60c
Castoria	33c, 69c
Noxema	49c, 69c, \$1.39
Trushay	30c, 49c, 89c
Alphamettes	\$1.00, \$1.85, \$3.50
Bromo Seltzer	28c, 55c, \$1.07
Colgate's Dental Cream	25c, 45c, 75c
Palmolive Brushless	33c, 54c, 89c
Palmolive Shave Cream	39c, 54c
Kotex	33c, \$1.23
Kleenex	18c
One-a-Day Multiple Vitamin Tablets—	
Priced at	\$1.25, \$2.50, 4.25
Dodd's Kidney Pills	49c
Brylcreem	29c, 49c
Eno's Fruit Salts	59c, 98c
Gillette Blue Blades	50c, \$1.00
Johnson's Baby Powder	28c, 55c

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## Eleven Candidates For City Seats

There will be 11 candidates, nine men and two women, for six aldermanic vacancies on the city council, it was shown today when nominations closed.

Nine of the candidates, one of them a woman, are seeking election Dec. 8 to five two-year terms of office. The other two, one of them the widow of the late Ald. John Baxter whose death created the sixth vacancy, are asking to be elected to this one-year term.

Of the nine candidates for two-year terms, three are alderman seeking re-election. One of the five aldermen whose terms of office expire at the end of the year is a candidate for the office of mayor. The other, Ald. Ed. Williams, is retiring after 14 years a member of city council.

Sketches and pictures of the candidates running for office follow:

### For 2-Year Terms

**William F. Pinfold**, 1520 Despard, comes from Yorkshire, England, family. Educated at the Bishop School, Bristol. Came to Canada, 1913. Entered business Edmonton. Branches out into Calgary and Winnipeg. Vancouver and Victoria. At present president of Nelson's Laundries Ltd., Vancouver. Lived here 21 years. Owned and managed New Method Laundries Ltd., Victoria, 20 years. Sold this business three years ago. Former vice-president Rotary Club and former director Chamber of Commerce. Director Victoria branch, Canadian Institute of International Affairs.



**Charles Batfield**, 642 Craigflower, was born, educated Victoria. King's Printer here 24 years until retirement 1946. Was member hospital board 1920 to 1924. Was president Anglican Diocesan Men's Society of Vancouver Island. Head Victoria West Community Association. Been alderman two years, Victoria West Park named in his honor. Active in fishermen's wharf and harbor cleanup activities. Is member city council public works, civic service and heads Greater Victoria Celebrations' Association.



Support and elect Independent candidate **Burges J. Gadsden** to City Council Dec. 8 \*\*\*

**Mrs. Margaret Christie**, 700 Linden, born Aberdeen, Scotland, lived here 39 years. School trustee seven years, police commissioner one year, city alderman five years. Headed women's organization First United Church 30 years before taking aldermanic office. Member I.O.E., was regent of Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter many years. Chairman of City Council social welfare committee and union board of health.



**Waldo Skillings**, 1721 Rockland, born Port Elgin, Ont., 1906. Educated Boys' Central School, Victoria High, Normal School and Victoria College. Was school teacher three years, two years in interior B.C. and one in Victoria. Was manager Victoria Baggage Co. 1929 to 1946 when sold interest to brothers. Now in insurance business. Member Gyro Club 20 years and is past president. Is member Victoria Columbia Lodge (A.F.A.M.) and is Shriner. Was elected school trustee 1945 and served two years. Been alderman two years.



**Charles S. Henley**, 1307 Rockland, born in London, 1888, came to Canada 1912. Joined army 1914 as officer. Invalided back to Canada 1917 and was named deputy registrar under Military Service Act to administer act for the province of Alberta. Was resident in Calgary and carried on bond business. Moved to B.C. 1930 and to Victoria 1932. Was president of Henley Hepburn and Co., bond brokers. Before retirement in 1940 was director of number of companies including Westminster Paper Co., Georgia Hotel Co., Island Tug and Barge Co., Durable Mat Co., and the Royal Jubilee Hospital. Member Rotary Club.



**Percy B. Scurrah**, 19 King George Terrace, born Ontario and educated at Welland and Queen's University. Came to Victoria January, 1909. Been in present business—ladies' clothing—since August, 1912. Main outside interest has been



in Rotary Club activities. Has been president and district governor of club, also director Rotary International. Is past director Chamber of Commerce as well as Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau. Has twice been chairman Retail Merchants' Section of chamber.



**Keith Grey**, 1636 Kings, was born in Belfast, Ireland, has lived Victoria two years. Has electrical contracting business here. Came here from Vancouver where he lived six years. Previously resided Eastern Canada 40 years. Was member city council Kingston, Ont., short time. Been interested in civic government many years. Is member of United Commercial Travelers, recently transferring from Vancouver branch to local organization.



**Burges J. Gadsden**, 526 Linden, born Nebraska, U.S.A., came Victoria 1910. Former alderman 10 years. Is member city police commission with one year to serve. Was one of main supporters of Gordon Head airport movement. Ran Sunshine Inn from 1935 to 1943. Is member of Anglican Church and served four years as army officer in World War I. Is member Odd Fellows, Masonic Craft, Shriners, Army and Navy Veterans and Canadian Legion. Is city representative on B.C. Aviation Council.



**Harold Ker**, 1744 Duchess, born Scotland, came Victoria 1915. Is electrician by trade, operates electrical store. Veteran both world wars. Member of Boy Scouts' Association. Head of Greater Victoria Property Owners' Association. Victoria Entertainers' Union and is provincial head of Buffalo Order. Is active member of Victoria Light Opera Company. Was educated in England, attended University of London.



The Victoria County Young Liberal Association will hold a turkey whist drive at 8, the evening of Dec. 8, at Liberal Headquarters, 1322A Government Street. Tickets may be obtained from Ed Whyte, Liberal Headquarters, or Ron Worley, 851 Fort Street.

### For One-Year Term

**Mrs. Hilda Baxter**, 120 St. Andrews, was born in England 49 years ago and came to Victoria at the age of 10. She is the widow of the late Ald. John Baxter whom she married in 1928 when he was secretary to the mayor of Victoria and she secretary to the city engineer. She was secretary to the late F. M. Preston, city engineer, 10 years. Was educated in Victoria, has been provincial president of Y.W.C.A. since 1933, is member Women's Canadian Club and its active member Christ Church Cathedral. Gardening and books are her hobby. Always held keen interest civic affairs.



**Edward Mallek**, 636 Newport, was born in United States, is Canadian citizen having lived here 28 years. Was five-and-a-half years president of Synagogue in Victoria. Has been managing director women's clothing store 15 years. As member Kiwanis Club instigated school patrols here 14 years ago, making Victoria one of first cities in Canada to have patrols. Is former director Kiwanis Club and holds membership Canadian Club. Collectively Mallek family have been 53 years in business in city. Is married with two children.



### Two Seeking Lone Seat On Victoria Police Commission

One of two candidates will be elected to a two-year term on the city police commission when the electors go to the Market Building polls a week today.

Nominations closed today and the two opponents filing papers were **James Neely**, who is seeking re-election, and **Fred Ramsdale**.

Their descriptions:

**James Neely**, Douglas Hotel, born 1898 at Goring, Ont., and educated Thornbury, Ont., and Zealandia, Sask. With Union Bank of Canada, 1915 to 1920. In hotel business since 1920. Took up residence in Victoria, 1939, and is managing director Hotel Douglas. Is treasurer Victoria Baseball and Athletic Co. Married and has one daughter. Member Chamber of Commerce, Hotel Association, United Commercial Travelers. Is one of leaders in movement to build curling rink Victoria.



**Fred (Red) Ramsdale**, 2124 Hall Road, was born England, came to Victoria with parents at early age. Served overseas in World War I with 29th Battalion and after discharge opened service station business. Has operated Red's Service Station, Yates and Quadra, since 1921. Before first war worked short time as mechanic for city. Is interested in athletics and has worked for many sports organizations. Is married and has two sons, one a member of Royal Canadian Navy.



### Retired Mountie Named To Oak Bay Police Commission

**Lieut. Col. C. Junget**, 2748 Satellite Street, was elected Oak Bay Police Commissioner by acclamation today.

As nominations closed, the retired assistant commissioner of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police was the sole nominee for the two-year term on the commission.

A resident of Oak Bay for 14 years, and a veteran of 36 years' service with the R.C.M.P., this is his first entry into politics.

**Lieut. Col. Junget** succeeds **J. F. Dick**, who retired as police commissioner and today was nominated candidate for the municipal council.

**Burges J. Gadsden**—Independent—Experienced, sincere candidate for Alderman, Dec. 8. \*\*\*

## Four School Trustees Returned; Contest For One City Vacancy

Four two-year terms on the Greater Victoria School Board were won by acclamation by city, Saanich and Oak Bay candidates when nominations closed today, but one one-year city vacancy will be contested.

Returned to office without opposition were Trustee **R. H. Green**, chairman, and Trustee **Arnold Trevett**, city representatives; Trustee **J. A. de Bourcier**, Oak Bay, and Trustee **Walter Jeune**, Saanich.

Contesting a one-year city vacancy, the unexpired term of the late **Isla Tuck**, are **Mrs. D. P. W. Maunsell** and **E. H. Carey**.

There was no Esquimalt vacancy this year. Sketches and pictures of re-elected trustees and candidates follow:

### By Acclamation

**R. H. Green**, 516 Rupert, was born at Illecillewaet 20 miles east Revelstoke, B.C. Came Victoria with parents 1904 and attended high school here. Obtained B.A. degree from McGill University, and graduated from Toronto law school 1915. Went overseas with 54th Battalion and was called to Bar on return from war. Has had law practice here since February, 1920. Served in Army Service Corps in World War II. Has been school trustee eight years, last two years chairman of Greater Victoria School Board. Is president of Nelson News and Trail Times.



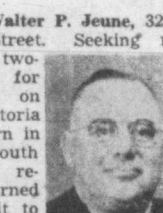
**Arnold Trevett**, 1111 Leonard, was born Christchurch, Hampshire, Eng., and came to Canada, 1911. Stopped at Vancouver where he then came Victoria where he has lived since. Is heraldic engraver and has worked same jeweler's company, Little and Taylor, 30 years. Was four years five months overseas with Army Medical Corps in World War I. Is completing first two-year term as school trustee. Is chairman board's education committee and member finance committee, also member Victoria College Council.



**J. A. de Bourcier**, 2625 Burdick, born in Jersey, Channel Islands. Educated at home, then to Canada in 1920, attending Sir George Williams' College, Montreal. Joined Northern Electric Co. Ltd. in Montreal in 1925, working progressively westward with the company to Winnipeg, Regina, Vancouver, and finally Victoria in 1940. Is salesman with the wholesale electric firm. Member of the Victoria Electric Club. Has served on school board three years.



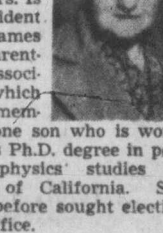
**Trustee Walter P. Jeune**, 3258 Rutledge Street, Seeking re-election for two-year term for Saanich on Greater Victoria Board. Born in Swansea, South Wales, and recently returned from a visit to home town. Came to Canada and Victoria in 1907. Retired. With Victoria Steam Laundry (now New Method Laundry) for 20 years and for 22 years with Pantorium Dye Works, manager for 12 years. Member of Saanich School Board nine years, chairman for the last three years. Member of Victoria Kiwanis Club, 1948, chairman of the Community Chest. Former director and official of Y.M.C.A. and welfare groups.



**Contest One Seat**  
**Mrs. D. P. W. Maunsell**, 138 Eberts, is widow well-known former Victoria barrister. She was born Glasgow, Scotland, and lived here over 30 years. Is past president of Sir James Douglas Parent-Teacher Association of which she still is member. Has one son who is working towards Ph.D. degree in post graduate physics studies at University of California. She has never before sought election to public office.



**E. H. Carey**, 151 Linden, was born Victoria, 1906, educated here. Resided Victoria West early days, and after graduating from old Collegiate school entered tea and coffee retail business of father. Has been in business 27 years. Is married and has two sons. At present president of Wednesday Football League as well as Junior and Juvenile Football League, and director Minor Baseball Association. Served in army in World War II.



### To Rural Board

Trustee **Percy E. Thorpe**, Central Saanich Road, Keating, today was re-elected by acclamation for a two-year term on the Saanich rural board, District No. 63.

Born in Kent, Eng., he has been in Canada since 1914. He was 13 years with the Oxford School District Board in Alberta, and for eight years was chairman of the Bentley County Hospital Board in Alberta. Mr. Thorpe moved to Peace River in 1937, and was a council member four years at Grand Prairie, mayor for the last two years.

He moved to Saanich in 1945, and has been chairman of the school board.



### Agriculture Group Re-elects Michell

**SAANICHTON**—North and South Saanich Agricultural Society has re-elected **Willard W. Michell** as its president.

Annual meeting of the society also received the resignation of **Stuart Stoddart**, general secretary of the society for the past 18 years.

Labor Day, 1950, was set as the date for this society's 82nd annual fair.

## Bang-up Gift Sale

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**WOMEN'S WASHABLE SPUN DRESSES**—Washable, some lace trim. Regular to 5.95. **3.98**

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**Shoulder Purses**, Reg. 2.75. Half price. **1.35**  
**Angora Gloves**, Reg. 2.98. **1.50**

**GIRLS' DRESSES TO CLEAR**  
Cotton prints and rayon spuns. Sizes 3 to 6. **1.25**  
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**Infants' Dresses**, English silk crepe, wool crepe, 1 and 3 only. **2.95**  
**Children's All-Wool Field Dressing Gowns**, 2 to 8. **4.50**  
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**English 3-Piece Suits**, Coat, skirt and blouse. **1.00**  
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**English 1-Piece Suits**, Coat and skirt. **1.00**  
**English 1-Piece Suits**, Coat and skirt. **2.00**

**Men's Hand-Made Diamond Socks**, Pre-shrunk. **1.69**  
**Regular 1.89. Sale.**  
**Men's Sport Shirts**, **3.95**  
**Regular to 5.95.**  
**Trived Sports Jackets**, 2 only—36, 38, 42. **17.50**  
**Double-breasted Suits**, Broken sizes in fine worsteds. **42.50**  
**Reg. 65.00. Special.**  
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You are invited to come in and join this group of citizens who are striving to promote keener interest in civic affairs. Here you may consult the Voters' List or get any information you desire on the independent candidates who are being endorsed for a progressive, business-like administration.

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### "INDEPENDENT"

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**Regular 89.50 "Goblin" Demonstrator Vacuum Cleaner**  
The kind of gift women cheer! A smooth operator to help keep home sparkling clean with a minimum of effort. Buy it on easy terms. 8 only. Shop early! **49.50**

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**REG. 36.50 HAND VACUUM CLEANERS**

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### PLUSH TOYS—BARGAIN PRICED!

**REG. 5.50 PLUSH TEDDY BEARS**  
Approximately 14 inches in height. An all-time favorite. **2.98**  
Special.

Approximately 14 inches in height. Reg. 3.35. **1.98**  
Special. Approximately 11 inches in height. Reg. 2.25. **98c**  
Special.

**REG. 3.35 PANDAS**  
A joyful toy for little ones. Pert panda with twinkling eyes. Approximately 14 inches in height. **1.98**  
Special.

**REG. 6.50 CANADIAN FLYERS**  
For good little boys. Approximately 22 inches long and eight inches high. Complete with handle and small bell. **3.25**  
Special.

**REG. 1.98 MYSTERY TRAINS**  
Approximately 72 inches of track. Complete with two trains and tunnel. Mechanical wind-up style. **1.49**  
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**REG. 1.98 SPONGE CATS**  
As saucy as can be. Sure to make a hit with the small fry. Approximately 11 inches tall. **98c**  
Special.

**REG. 3.98 TRAIN SCENERY**  
For the proud owner of a toy train. Set consists of 17 scale models plus 40 inches of background scenery. **1.49**  
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A fascinating toy for a good little boy. Set consists of tunnel, signal tower, stop signal, bridge, station, train and track. **3.95**  
Special.

**REG. 6.95 TOY TRAIN SET**  
For under the Christmas tree. Set consists of tunnel, stop signal, station, train and track. Limited quantity. **1.98**  
Complete. Special.

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**REG. 1.98 KNITTING BAGS**  
A popular gift for friends who knit... or for yourself. In brown, black or green plastic. **1.19**  
Special.

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## CAMERAS AND ACCESSORIES

### Reduced to Clear

**REG. 5.35 PEAK FLASH SYNCHRONIZERS**  
For Vigilant, Monitor Reflex and Brownie Reflex cameras. Special. **3.19**

**REG. 2.00 ROCKEE RINSER**  
Special. **98c**

**REG. 32.50 KALART MASTERSPEED FLASH**  
Friday Special. **25.00**

**REG. 1.50 DEVELOPING TRAYS**  
Handy plastic trays for camera films. Size 10 by 12 inches. **90c**  
Friday Special.

**REG. 97.50 CINEMASTER MOVIE CAMERAS**  
Friday Special. **75.00**

**REG. 19.95 DEJUR METERS**  
Special this Friday. **10.00**

**REG. 1.75 PHOTO TINTING SETS**  
Marshall and transparent photo tinting sets for the ardent photographer. Special. **1.25**

BAY Cameras, Street Floor

**REG. 69c SHELL NOVELTIES**  
Gay and pretty for bridge prizes or to tuck in Christmas stockings. Special, each. **19c**

**REG. 4.00 BLACK LEATHER BINDERS**  
Strong, durable, three-ring style with zipper closings. **2.25**  
Friday Special.

**REG. 2.50 SCHOOL BAGS**  
Sturdy school bags in good quality leather. Gifts for school children. Special. **1.79**

**REG. 3.50 SCHOOL BAGS**  
Good quality leather school bag with pouch. **2.59**  
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**REG. 25c CHRISTMAS CANDLES**  
Novelty shapes, stars, jugs of wine. Stars in red and green, jugs in red only. Special. **15c**

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**REG. 96c GALVANIZED PAILS.** Medium size with bale handle. Rustproof. Special. **69c**

**REG. 1.49 ENAMEL SAUCEPAN.** Has side handles and lid. Three-coat red enamel on outside. White enamel inside. To Clear. **44c**

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**REG. 6.95 COPPER WASH BOILERS.** Slightly dented but otherwise in perfect shape. Limited supply. **3.49**  
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**REG. 1.95 JACK PLANES.** 9-inch size. Made from finest quality steel. An ideal Christmas gift for the owner of a home workshop. Special. **4.98**

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**REG. 1.79 TOWEL RACKS.** Three-bar style in nickel plated finish. Holds twice as many towels in half the space as ordinary rods. Limited quantity. **69c**

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**ENGLISH ALL-WOOL UNDERWEAR—REG. 1.98**  
Short-sleeve style. 100% wool. Drawstring neck. Extra long. Light and warm. Ages 10 to 14. Special. **94c**

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Shoulder strap style. 100% wool. Drawstring neck. Extra long. Ages 8, 10, 12, 14. Special. **94c**

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Short-sleeve style. Drawstring neck. 100% wool, 25% rayon. Ages 10, 12 and 14 years. Special. **94c**

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BAY Children's Wear, Third Floor

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"Demonstrator" Records. Popular music only. Fairly good selection. Choose early. **25c**  
Special, each.

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Smooth-fitting slips in fine quality crepe. Lace-trimmed or tailored models. White, few black and pink. Sizes 34 to 40. Special. **1.99**

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Here Are Values to Really Stretch Those Gift Dollars!

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**49c**

Limited Quantity Only

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Eight pages filled to the brim with wonderful gift suggestions and at low prices, designed to make budgets go farther. All items remain on sale while quantities permit, with the exception of 9 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Specials.

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Broken Size and Color Range

Here are coats and suits taken from our regular stock. Smart casual and semi-tailored models. Broken size and color range. 25 only. Special. **11.00**

BAY Women's Wear, Second Floor

## 10 Regular 8.50 Rubber Cloth Boys' Raincoats

Smart rubberized cotton raincoats. Belted style. Sizes 12, 14, 16 and 18. Special. **4.95**

## Students' and Boys' Raincoats

Smart raincoats. Some belted styles. Other models with raglan sleeves. Shades of navy, blue and fawn. Collective sizes, 8, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20.

13 Reg. 25.00  
13 Reg. 21.95  
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**12.95**

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BAY Youths' Centre, Street Floor

## GLASSWARE—GREATLY REDUCED

Dainty vases for Christmas gifts or for your own home.

3 Reg. 3.95, 13 Reg. 1.75, 7 Reg. 1.50, 4 Reg. 2.50. Special. **1.25** 33 Reg. 1.25. Special. **50c**

**REG. 1.98 GLASS FRUIT PLATES**  
Attractive glass fruit plates. Ten only. **49c**

**MISCELLANEOUS GLASSWARE**  
4 dishes reg. 75c, 20 relish dishes reg. 65c, 4 bowls reg. 1.25, 6 bowls reg. 1.75. Special. **39c**

**VIKING ETCHED GLASS**  
Sugar and cream sets. Dish, reg. 2.50. **75c**  
reg. 2.50. **75c**

Trays, reg. 1.00. **39c** Celery dish, reg. 3.00. **1.00**

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Durable, long-wearing fabrics in top-grade cotton. Plain and self-figured shades of mauve, pink, green, grey or chartreuse. 48 inches wide. Less than half price. Shop early for this outstanding value.

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Useful gifts at budget prices... for your own home or a friend's.

Reg. 32.50 Solid Walnut Chairs **25.00** Reg. 16.95 Walnut Finished Chairs **14.95**  
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BAY Furniture, Fourth Floor

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Attractive bath mats, 24x48. Special. **1.69**

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**AMERICAN SOFTBALLS.** 14 reg. 3.50, 20 reg. 2.50. Each. **1.00**

BAY Sporting Goods, Third Floor

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**GRAPE JUICE,** Aylmer's, 13-oz. bottle **9c**

**HONEY,** Saco, No. 1 White, 4-lb. tin **73c**

**ORANGE MARMALADE,** Aylmer, 2-lb. tins **29c**

**PURE LOGANBERRY JAM,** Holsum, 2-lb. tin **39c**

**MALTED MILK,** Norvallo, chocolate flavored, 1-lb. jar **39c**

**TOMATO JUICE,** Aylmer, 48-oz. tin **28c**

**CATSUP,** Aylmer, Tomato, per bottle **19c**

**APPLE JUICE,** Kel, 20-oz. 3 tins **25c**

**SULTANA RAISINS,** 4-lb. package **59c**

**DATES,** Elephant brand, 1-lb. cello package **29c**

**MINCEMEAT,** Nabob, 24-oz. jar **37c**

**NAVEL ORANGES,** Size 220, dozen **48c**

**GRAPEFRUIT,** Arizona, Size 100, 5 for **27c**

**APPLES,** McIntosh Reds, Fancy, each **2.85**

**CELERY,** California, large heads, each **23c**

**LETTUCE,** California, crisp firm heads, each **12c**

**DRY BELT POTATOES,** 50-lb. sack **2.05**

**DRY BELT POTATOES,** 10-lb. sack **3.85**

BAY Groceries, Lower Main Floor

## Nursery Section

### TREE HEATHER

Reg. 1.50

Bush shrub. Grows to five or six feet. Rosy pink blossoms. Special. **1.00**

### Fletchers Cypress,

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Feather blue grey foliage. 3-foot specimens. Special. **2.50**

### Half-Price BULBS

Holland hyacinths, forcing size **15c**  
Nomed tulips, dozen **50c**

### 'Spotlight' Peach Trees

New early variety. each **2.00**

BAY Nursery, Lower Main Floor

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## Arrow Cagers Clip 'Y' On Second-Half Spurt

Benny Benie Fox and shifty Fred Ranson provided the spark that enabled Arrow Furniture cagers to come off the hook and defeat Y.M.C.A., 52 to 47, in last night's senior A game at the High School gym.

It was the sixth meeting between the clubs this season and the Arrow victory left the teams all square with three victories apiece.

The crucial point in the game came about six minutes into the second half when the "Y" forced to the front, 30 to 29, after being on the short end of the count from early in the first half.

Trailing by as much as 10 points at 23 to 13 at the 15-minute mark of the opening stanza, the "Y" rallied to cut Arrows' lead to 25 to 18 at the half.

Vic Dale then dropped in two successive one handers to start the second stanza and Vince Clarkson added another bucket to shave the margin to one point. After matching points for a few minutes the "Y" finally took the lead for the last time on Clarkson's long one hander.

### 5 STRAIGHT BASKETS

Fox replied with two baskets on two shots to relieve the pressure and Fred Ranson pumped in two more and the Arrows were again on top, 37 to 30. A lay-in shot by Jim Ranson gave Arrows a nine-point bulge.

With eight minutes to play Arrows had moved in front 46 to 36 but the "Y" bounced back to cut the lead to 49 to 45 with but a minute left.

A free shot by Duffy McCaghey plus a tip-in basket by Fox in the final 60 seconds saved up the decision. Johnny Clark notched a pair of free shots for the losers as the game ended.

### FOX HIGH SCORER

Fox was high scorer for the night with 15 points, Fred Ranson scored 14 points for runner-up honors. Clark paced the "Y" attack with 13. Dale adding an even dozen and Clarkson 11.

In preliminary games, Victoria College edged Normal School, 32 to 31, in an intermediate A men's game and Vampires whipped St. Louis College, 29 to 18, in a junior boys' tilt.

Teams and scorers follow:  
Y.M.C.A.—Clark 13, Wright 4, Dale 12, Anderson 11, Plimds 4, Hudson 3, Tony Kavan 2, Benie Fox 15, Blair 10, Pith 5, J. Ranson 5, McCaghey 3, Prior 3, Castner 2, Curtis 1, Anderson 1, Wright 12, Peter 1, Waring 2, Kirby, Henderson 2, O'Brien, Bowler.

Victoria College—Naylor 9, Hill 12, McKee 10, Benie Fox 15, Blair 10, Pith 5, Vampires—Pillion 7, Stewart 2, Mary 3, Peterson 1, Harrison 9, Price 2, Ash 4, Worley 2.

St. Louis College—Dicke 3, Fagan, Hutchins 1, Appleton 4, Slep 4, Morrison, Ramsey.

Jackey Henri Mora established a different type of riding record last year at Monmouth Park. He rode five horses in one day and finished fourth on all of them.

## Hat-Tricks Feature Prairie Ice Clashes

Two hat-tricks were registered when the top point-getters of the Western Canada Senior Hockey League fattened their totals last night as Edmonton Flyers tripped Calgary Stampede, 5 to 1, and Regina Capitals drubbed Saskatoon Quakers, 8 to 5.

The three-goal performances were turned in by Flyers' Colin Kilburn, leader of the point derby, and speedy Toby Brown of Caps.

The results left the standings of the teams unchanged, Edmonton moving to within one point of the pace-setting Stampede and Regina remaining four

## Ralph Toohy Will Not Play Hockey With Seattle Club

MONTREAL (CP)—Ralph Toohy, 23-year-old defenceman, said here Tuesday night he has been signed to play hockey this season with Valleyfield Braves of the Quebec Senior Hockey League.

Toohy, an-end with Montreal Alouettes of the Big Four Football League, told the Canadian Press he signed with the Braves and "will not report to Seattle Ironmen" of the Coast League.

"I wired manager Dave Downey of the Ironmen that I would be unable to report to his team because of personal reasons. There was no money involved—just personal reasons," Toohy said.

It was announced earlier from Valleyfield that Toohy, who played last year with Moncton Hawks of the Maritime Senior Hockey League and Pembroke of the Upper Ottawa Valley League, would play with the Braves.

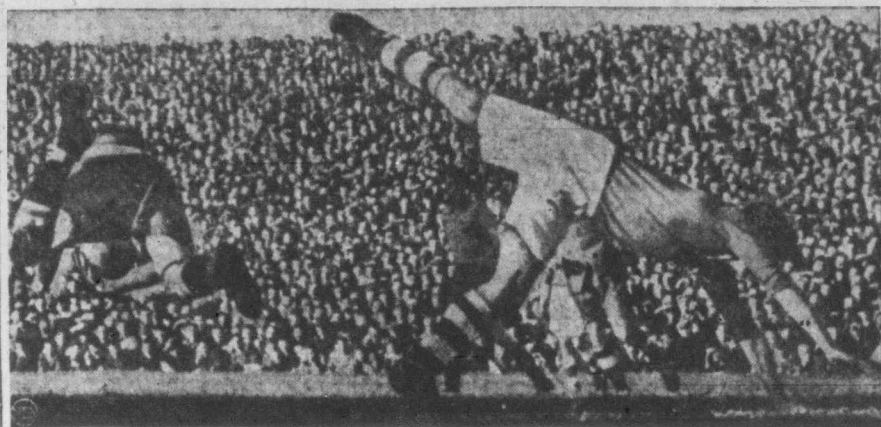
Meanwhile, at Seattle, Downey said he expected Toohy to join his club either Wednesday or Thursday.

## Portland Penguins Get Nick Tomiuk

PORTLAND (AP)—Coach Jimmy Ward of Portland Penguins Tuesday announced that Nick Tomiuk, a 24-year-old wingman, has been obtained on loan from the Minneapolis Millers of the United States Hockey League. Portland has the right to buy Tomiuk at the end of the season, Ward said.

Tomiuk replaces Herm Gruhn, sold to New Westminster. The coach of the cell-dwelling team of the Coast Hockey League's northern division indicated he has some other deals on the fire to strengthen the club.

NEW YORK—Gene Burton, 147½, New York, stopped Roy Carter, 146½, New York (7).



## Soccer Tumbling Act

Eire's centre-forward Danny Whelan plunges forward as Thor Lindberg, Sweden's goalkeeper, ball in arm, gets off his pins to save in the World Cup soccer preliminaries in Dublin. Before packed stands, the Swedes repeated a previous triumph in Stockholm by an identical score, 3 to 1.

## Hockey, Boxing, Wrestling, Basketball On Sports Card

Thursday night which used to be quite a "dead night" insofar as sports activity is concerned is loaded with activity this evening.

First of all, there's the opening of the Island Junior Hockey League at the Memorial Arena, with Victoria meeting the Royal Canadian Navy at 8:30. Preceding this game will be a juvenile clash featuring a pair of local squads, the Royals and Maroons, at 7.

Promoter Rocky Brooks will present his weekly wrestling card at the York Theatre, starting at 8:30.

Maurice LaChapelle will battle George Hessel in the main event. It will be a fight to the finish with no time limit. Lee Grable will tangle with Frank Stojack and Leo Wallick will meet Cliff Parker in supporting bouts.

Boxing takes its place at St. Louis College with the school boxing club holding a 10-bout card highlighted by a middle-

weight tussle between a pair of Golden Gloves battlers, Stan Diamond and Tommy Keyes. The first fight on the program gets under way at 8.

### HOOP CARD

Out at H.M.C.S. Naden a double header basketball program is on

tap with four senior B men's clubs seeing action.

In the main game at 8, the host Navy squad will meet Senators, while the preliminary at 7 matches the defending city champions, Brentwood Aces, against West Heat.

That leaves Detroit with a seven-point lead over the Canadiens, Chicago and Toronto, tied for third, were idle, while Rangers took over fifth place again by a single point over the tail-end Bruins.

Tonight the Wings play at Toronto, where the Leafs have been paying more attention to the weighing scales than the scoring percentages since managing director Conn Smythe put the blast on overweight players. Another game has the Bruins at Chicago against Charlie Conacher's hot-shot Black Hawks.

It was rookie Jean Paul Lamorande, scoring a pair of goals, who led the Rangers to victory over the Canadiens at New York. The 26-year-old defenceman scored twice. Centre Don Raleigh, Eddie Slowinski and Alex Kaleta scored the others. Cal Mackay and Kenny Mosdell were the Canadian goal-getters.

The pair will not be eligible to play for their new club on Saturday, when they face Vancouver City in the second round of the Anderson Cup, but they will enter the second half of the team's schedule, Peacock said.

Both Ambler and Brown helped North Shore capture the Dominion soccer championship this year in Calgary.

North Shore manager Bob Harrison was not discouraged about the loss. "I've pretty good prospects coming up," he said. "In fact I've got something very good up my sleeve."

THIRD SHUTOUT  
At Detroit the Wings' goalie Harry Lumley scored his third shut-out of the season. It was Detroit's first win after two bad losses last week-end, but it was a hard defensive fight all the way as the Bruins showed plenty

of fight. Ted Lindsay, Jimmy Peters and Sid Abel scored. Gil Mayer, late of the Pittsburgh Hornets, will be in goal for Toronto, tonight against Detroit. Mayer is the "short one" of a famous three Toronto goalies—a short one, a fat one and a tall, skinny one.

Those were the description applied yesterday by Smythe as he surveyed the situation following his edict of Tuesday.

"The tall, skinny one" is Al Rollins, six feet two, weight 185, purchased by Leafs yesterday from Cleveland Barons of the A.H.L.

The "fat one" is the fabulous Turk Broda from Brandon, Man., who was benched until he cuts his 197 pounds down to 190.

While Mayer definitely starts in the Leaf goal tonight, either Mayer, Rollins or Broda will get the call Saturday night.

DETROIT-BOSTON  
First Period—Scoring: None. Penalties: Rogers, Placard.  
Second Period—1, Detroit, Lindsay (Warwick), 5:46; 2, Montreal, Modell (Warwick), 11:54; 4, New York, Lamorande (Ribeiro), 17:24; 5, New York, Slowinski (Ribeiro), 17:24; 6, New York, Lamorande (Ribeiro), 17:24; 7, New York, Kaleta (Laprade), 15:59.

RANGERS-CANADIENS  
First Period—1, New York, Raleigh (Ribeiro, Slowinski), 3:35. Penalties: Reardon, Egan.  
Second Period—2, Montreal, Modell (Warwick), 11:54; 4, New York, Lamorande (Ribeiro), 17:24; 5, New York, Slowinski (Ribeiro), 17:24; 6, New York, Lamorande (Ribeiro), 17:24; 7, New York, Kaleta (Laprade), 15:59.

Proving they are equally powerful on a muddy field as on hard turf, the Oak Bay High School senior rugby squad retained possession of the Howard Russell Cup, symbolic of rugby supremacy in the Greater Victoria High Schools, by edging Victoria High School, 5 to 3, in the second game of the best-of-three series yesterday at Macdonald Park.

The Bays took the silverware in straight games, winning the first last week by an identical margin.

The greasy ball and slippery pitch was responsible for numerous fumbles on both sides, and good rugby was out of the question.

Winners sewed up the game in the opening minutes. Following a miscalculation by the Vic High fullback, Bill Vogel snapped up the ball around the 25-yard line and raced over to plant the oval on pay dirt. Dick Pollard added the points which later proved to be the deciding margin and Bays had a 5 to 0 jump.

MISS PENALTY  
Vic High came close on several occasions during the remainder of the half, but they could not pierce the stiff Oak Bay defensive area. The Vics also

## Gagnon En Route From East To Join Cougars

### Hockey Scores

W.C.J.H.L.  
Regina 5, Moose Jaw 8.  
Bellevue 3, Lethbridge 5.  
W.C.S.H.L.  
Saskatoon 5, Regina 8.  
Edmonton 5, Calgary 1.  
MANITOBA JUNIOR  
Brandon 4, Winnipeg Monarchs 6.  
CAPE BRETON SENIOR  
Glace Bay 4, Sydney 2.  
QUEBEC SENIOR  
Chicoutimi 3, Ottawa 4.  
Quebec 3, Valleyfield 5.  
QUEBEC JUNIOR  
Quebec 3, Three Rivers 5.  
O.H.A. JUNIOR  
Stratford 1, Barrie 6.  
Galt 2, Windsor 9.

### Lindsay Retains Five-Point Edge In Scoring Race

Ted Lindsay of Detroit Red Wings today retains a five-point lead over teammate Sid Abel of the National Hockey League's individual-scoring list.

Lindsay counted another goal last night to boost his point-total to 28 for 12 goals and 16 assists. Doug Bentley of Chicago holds down third spot with 22 points, one behind Abel. The league's top goal-getter, Maurice Richard, slid back a notch into a fourth place tie with Detroit's Gordie Howe, each with 20 points. John Peirson, Boston, and Roy Conacher, Chicago, are trailing Richard and Howe by two points.

Leaders follow:  
Lindsay, Detroit 28  
Abel, Detroit 26  
D. Bentley, Chicago 22  
Richard, Montreal 20  
Howe, Detroit 20  
Peirson, Boston 20  
R. Conacher, Chicago 18

### Three-Game Hoop Card Billed At Vic High Friday

A three-game card features the final Friday night exhibition schedule until 1950 tomorrow night at the Victoria High gym.

The opening game, which starts at 7, will decide who will face the Victoria High Reds in the Interhigh Junior Basketball League finals. Vic High Golds and Central Junior High will battle it out for the right to meet the Reds. The Golds will enter the contest with a 12-point margin in the two-game total-point series.

An hour later, Victoria High's girls will match shots with the Normal School girls' squad in a rematch of last week's fixture which ended in a draw.

Feature tilt of the program begins at 9, pitting together the Victoria High Totems and Knott and Elford, undefeated in the senior B men's league so far this season. Totems will likely be up against their strongest opposition this year, as the K. and E. line-up boasts several hoop stars.

Jim Ireland, Larry Booth and Gordie Ellis all performed with V.H.S. squads of previous years, while others include Billy Duncan and Joe Bryant.

Coach Laurie Wallace announced that Vancouver College will meet the Totems in an exhibition tilt on Dec. 10.

### Horton Smith New Pro Golf Secretary

SOUTHERN PINES, N.C. (UP)—Horton Smith of Detroit assumed the duties of secretary of the Professional Golfers' Association today, while Harry L. Moffitt of Toledo, O., moved into the treasurer's post.

Both were voted into their new positions by members of the P.G.A. yesterday, along with Joe Novak of Los Angeles, who was re-elected president for another one-year term.

Ed Dudley of Augusta, Ga., was renamed honorary president, while Walter Hagen of Detroit and Bobby Jones of Atlanta were re-elected vice-presidents.

### Rangers' Christmas Shoot On Sunday

First Christmas shoot of the season by local gun clubs takes place Sunday at the Luxton property of the South Vancouver Island Rangers, located off the Happy Valley Road.

Program starts at 10 and will include rifle competitions on the ranges, traps and archery events. Ranger officials extend an invitation to all sportsmen to attend and join in the fun.

Victoria Cougars gained further player strength today when business manager Fred Hutchinson announced he had been advised by general manager Frank Selke of the Montreal Canadiens that Charles "Bus" Gagnon was en route to join the Victoria P.C.H.L. club.

Gagnon comes to the Cougars on loan from the Cincinnati Club of the American Hockey League and should arrive in the city in time for Friday night's game against the New Westminster Royals. Gagnon was scheduled to leave by plane for the coast last night.

The acquisition of Gagnon brings the Cougars again up to the 15-man limit. Purchase of Murray Richardson from Fresno Falcons and release of Alan Senior was announced Wednesday.

Gagnon is a forward who can play all three front line positions. He is 23 years of age, five feet 11 inches in height and weighs 175 pounds.

### SHOULD AID CLUB

He played for Dallas in the United States Hockey League last year compiling 34 points on 12 goals and 22 assists. Gagnon spent 84 minutes in the penalty box in 45 games giving promise of being a fiery competitor.

Just where Gagnon and Richardson will fit into the Cougars line-up is strictly a matter up to coach Eddie Wares. The Eddie Darohoy-Eddie Mazur-Roy McKay line will probably remain intact with the changes coming in the second and third lines.

Bernie Strongman centred Larry Thibeault and Georges Bougie in Tuesday's game while Russ Kopak acted as pivot for Joe Evans and Eddie Marneau. However, Marneau will definitely return to defence duties leaving one left wing berth open.

### SEATTLE BLANKED

In last night's league games, Portland Penguins knocked off the northern division leaders, Seattle Ironmen, 6 to 0; San Francisco Shamrocks tripped San Diego Skyhawks, 4 to 1; New Westminster edged Fresno Falcons, 3 to 2, and Los Angeles Monarchs walloped Oakland Oaks, 11 to 2.

Johnny Savicky paced the Portland attack with his second three-goal performance in as many games.

Fresno's loss to Westminster was their fourth straight on their present northern division tour.

Apparently Los Angeles are a much improved club as last night's triumph was their fifth in six games after suffering 15 straight losses. Frisco had little trouble with San Diego, the Skyhawks just avoiding a shutout in the last 34 seconds.

### Summaries follow:

SEATTLE-PORTLAND  
First Period—1, Portland, Strobel (Crumm), 2:59; 2, Portland, Savicky (Southern), 19:50. Penalty: Cuman.  
Second Period—3, Portland, Savicky (Southern), 1:31; 4, Portland, Savicky (Waldriff), 8:02. Penalties: Kerr, Senick, Mayne.  
Third Period—5, Portland, Strobel (Crumm), 11:44; 6, Portland, Savicky (Southern), 12:06. Penalties: Senick (major), Kerr (minor), Strobel (minor).

FRESNO-NEW WESTMINSTER  
First Period—1, New Westminster, Bass (unassisted), 9:16. Penalty: Vickery.  
Second Period—2, Fresno, Sacconi (Pozzo, Clout), 4:12; 3, New Westminster, Love (Valenti, Evers), 16:30. Penalties: Dwyer, Vickery.  
Third Period—4, New Westminster, State (unassisted), 16:23; 5, Fresno, Sacconi (Pozzo), 16:47. Penalties: Duffy, Desnon, Sacconi.

### Pachal Well Ahead In Junior Scoring

MOOSE JAW, Sask. (CP)—Vern Pachal continues to burn up Western Canada Junior Hockey League ice lanes.

According to official statistics released today by J. Harper Parry, league secretary-manager, the clever "Crow's Nest" Pass Lion's centre opened up a six-point lead in the last week over Guyle Fielder of Lethbridge Native Sons.

Pachal has 17 goals and 17 assists for 34 points; Fielder 15 and 13 for 28.

Scoring leaders follow:  
Pachal, Crow's Nest 17, 17, 34  
Fielder, Lethbridge 15, 13, 28  
Mannik, Regina 14, 12, 26  
Tolmie, Medicine Hat 10, 10, 20  
McLeod, Moose Jaw 9, 14, 19  
Thomas, Medicine Hat 9, 10, 19  
Petrovich, Crow's Nest 8, 12, 20  
Smith, Lethbridge 7, 10, 17

### EXHIBITION BASKETBALL

Y.M.C.A. intermediate B boys cage team will meet McMorran's of the Saanich League in an exhibition game at Lake Hill gym tonight at 8:30. Preliminary has McMorran's intermediate B girls clashing with Moose at 7:30.

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Montreal 9 7 4 49 36 22  
Chicago 7 8 4 61 57 18  
Toronto 7 9 4 39 57 18  
New York 5 8 6 41 55 16  
Boston 5 10 5 48 71 15

### COAST LEAGUE

Northern Division  
W. L. T. P. A. Pts.  
Seattle 15 6 4 96 91 34  
N. Westminster 12 8 7 114 94 31  
VICTORIA 13 11 0 97 100 26  
Vancouver 11 10 3 106 95 25  
Tacoma 11 12 2 103 91 24  
Portland 9 13 2 80 87 20

Southern Division  
S. Francisco 15 5 2 93 62 32  
San Diego 10 10 5 70 85 25  
Oakland 7 9 4 51 70 18  
Fresno 5 14 4 62 77 14  
L. Angeles 6 16 1 77 96 13

## Victoria College's Phil Matson Wins Cross-Country Run

Establishing a new record for the 3.8 miles of 20 minutes, 33 seconds, Phil Matson of Victoria College yesterday won the annual invitation cross country run held under the auspices of the Canadian Services College, for the third successive year. Matson shattered his own mark for the course by 16½ seconds. He bested a field of 40.

Although Matson won the individual trophy possession of the Admiral Nelles trophy for the eight-man teams again went to the Services College, whose runners finished second, third, fourth and sixth. Members of the winning team were: Cadets J. L. Geddes and M. M. Soule and J. K. Devlin and N. E. Cressey.

Finishing second in the team event were runners from H.M. C.S. supply and secretariat school with Victoria College third.

Trophies were presented to winners by Admiral P. W. Nelles, R.C.N. (retired).

## New York Rangers Sign Jackie McLeod

MOOSE JAW, Sask. (BUP)—Jackie McLeod, 19-year-old centre with the Moose Jaw Canucks, was to play his last junior game here tonight before jumping into the big time with New York Rangers.

Canuck Coach Ken Doraty, a former National Hockey League star, announced last night that the Gull Lake, Sask., player had signed a contract with the N.H.L. team. McLeod was one of the top scorers in the Western Canada Junior League.

## Esquimalt In Cage Victory Over Sooke

Esquimalt junior girls defeated Sooke's Intermediate B squad, 38 to 12, in an exhibition basketball game at Fraser Street Hall Tuesday night.

Esquimalt took an 18 to 10 lead in the first half and then held the visitors to two points in the second 20 minutes. Cynthia Der led the scorers with 12 points.

### Island Junior Hockey League

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Junior Hockey—6:00-8:00 a.m.  
Cougars—9:30-11:30 a.m.  
Fire Fighters—1:00-3:00 p.m.  
Skating—3:00-5:00 p.m.  
Midget Hockey—7:00-8:30 p.m.  
Junior Hockey—8:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, DEC. 2  
Pro Rec—7:00-8:30 a.m.  
PUBLIC SKATING—2:00-4:00 p.m.  
Pro Hockey—8:30 p.m.  
Automotive League—10:30 a.m.

SATURDAY, DEC. 3  
Minor Hockey—6:00-12 Noon  
Y.F.S.C.—1:00-4:45 p.m.  
PUBLIC SKATING—3:00-5:00 p.m.  
Y.F.S.C.—5:45-7:15 p.m.  
PUBLIC SKATING—8:00-10:00 p.m.

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## Valentino Fight Will Guide Joe Louis In Comeback Plans

CHICAGO (UP)—Former heavyweight champion Joe Louis said today he will be trying for a knockout against his next exhibition opponent, Pat Valentino—and if he succeeds it might be the opener of a comeback to regain the crown.

"There ain't no sense in talking about coming back to fighting until after this fight," Louis said. "I got to wait to see how I do against this guy before I think about fighting Charles." Ezzard Charles, who became successor to Louis by beating Jersey Joe Walcott here last June, defended his title against this same Valentino in San Francisco in September. And the present titleholder, even though outpointed for seven rounds, knocked the tousle-headed Valentino out in the eighth.

"If I can't knock him out before the eighth round, or at least outpoint him that far," Louis said, "there wouldn't be no point to thinking about fighting Charles."

Louis has fought three 10-round exhibition fights in his present round-the-nation tour. He met Joe Cheshul in Newark,

Johnny Siskor in Boston and Johnny Flynn in Kansas City, winning a newspaper decision in each bout and flooring each opponent at least once. He wore 10-ounce gloves in all combats.

### SERIOUS TRAINING

"I take these just like regular fights," Louis said. "I'm training for 'em in the gym and doing road work. You can call them exhibitions, but they're fights."

The match with Valentino also was scheduled for 10 rounds in the Chicago Stadium Dec. 7, and again 10-ounce gloves were to be used, although Jack Andrade, manager of Valentino, sought to arrange for 14-ounce pillows.

"We agreed to fight him with 10-ounce gloves," Louis said, "and I'm happy we're gonna do it."

Louis said he weighed about 225 pounds today and would

weigh about 222 against Valentino. "I feel good," he said. "Better than I did last year on the exhibition trip. But I'm training now, because these are fights. Last year for those four and six-rounders, those weren't fights and I didn't have to train."

## Bowling Scores

### GIBSON'S BOWLADROME

SENIOR TENPIN LEAGUE  
Subby's — Patterson 441, Sherritt 487, Stewart 524, Mays 549, Pauline 549. Totals: 854, 908, 794, 2,556.  
Ladies' — Subby's 441, G. Law 456, H. Sparks 517, G. Cliff 503, R. Wilson 502. Totals: 826, 891, 808, 2,525.  
Subby's won two.

Smilin' Ben's — D. Barr 460, W. Coates 518, W. Tennison 443, W. Holmes 518, J. Leatham 518. Totals: 839, 827, 2,540.  
Watson's Men's — A. Palmer 513, H. Sparks 517, G. Cliff 503, R. Wilson 502. Totals: 826, 891, 808, 2,525.  
Subby's won two.

Bowladrome — C. Steele 469, J. Bacon 469, H. Holmes 518, D. Barr 460, W. Coates 518, J. Leatham 518. Totals: 839, 827, 2,540.  
Watson's Men's — A. Palmer 513, H. Sparks 517, G. Cliff 503, R. Wilson 502. Totals: 826, 891, 808, 2,525.  
Subby's won two.

Ladies' Commercial Pivpin — O. Holmes 518, D. Barr 460, W. Coates 518, J. Leatham 518. Totals: 839, 827, 2,540.  
Watson's Men's — A. Palmer 513, H. Sparks 517, G. Cliff 503, R. Wilson 502. Totals: 826, 891, 808, 2,525.  
Subby's won two.

Merry Madcaps — C. Baker 564, E. Clunk 469, J. Leatham 518, D. Barr 460, W. Coates 518, J. Leatham 518. Totals: 839, 827, 2,540.  
Watson's Men's — A. Palmer 513, H. Sparks 517, G. Cliff 503, R. Wilson 502. Totals: 826, 891, 808, 2,525.  
Subby's won two.

Victors won three.  
Vet Vets — G. Shubert 507, T. Hasley 507, T. Hasley 507, T. Hasley 507. Totals: 814, 814, 814, 2,442.  
Handicap 213. Totals: 767, 871, 811, 2,449.

Victors won three.  
Terry's — V. Low 468, A. McCahey 781, J. Dand 612, J. Caddell 586, M. Shendard 518. Handicap 27. Totals: 814, 814, 814, 2,442.

Montez — E. Hole 495, J. Gault 485, H. Sparks 517, G. Cliff 503, R. Wilson 502. Totals: 826, 891, 808, 2,525.  
Handicap 326. Totals: 814, 747, 902, 2,463.

Time's — D. Butler 519, G. Birkenhead 641, P. Henry 527, D. Bridges 575, G. D. Ward 469, Handicap 84. Totals: 817, 921, 783, 2,521.

Each team won two.  
Northwestern Creamery — B. Morgan 508, L. Jones 460, E. Hall 467, N. Allan 524, A. Major 621. Handicap 111. Totals: 972, 1,187, 1,003, 3,162.

Red's Service Station — C. Wallis 803, D. Anderson 784, F. Acres 491, A. Lander 524, J. Acres 575. Totals: 928, 1,135, 1,104, 3,167.

Northwestern Creamery won three points.  
Ideal Barber's — J. Green 602, C. McRae 703, D. Corbett 636, J. Beitel 632, S. Thompson 638. Handicap 27. Totals: 1,937, 1,945, 1,136, 2,226.

Canada Packers — H. Milliken 543, M. Dahn 586, A. DeGroot 645, J. M. Lellan 768, H. Cowan 708. Totals: 1,156, 1,078, 1,174, 3,118.

Canada Packers won three points.  
Subby's — A. McKee 652, J. Walker 706, C. Nash 522, D. Doherty 688, M. Mares 684. Totals: 1,075, 1,085, 1,087, 3,247.

Cleveland Equipment — Co. — D. McCahey 719, G. Savory 591, P. North 693, H. Butler 623, H. Gert 548. Handicap 33. Totals: 983, 984, 1,280, 3,247.

Subby's won three points.  
Radies — Latham 704, Cain 650, Pedersen 675, Collins 612, Shoultice 655. Totals: 1,063, 1,002, 1,139, 3,204.

Bowladrome — L. White 624, H. Holmes 614, D. Dicker 785, P. Richter 627, J. Bacon 469, Handicap 153. Totals: 1,124, 975, 1,283, 3,382.

Bowladrome won three points.

### Racing Results

SAN MATEO, Calif.—Results of horse racing Wednesday at the Tanforan track follow:

First Race	Mr. Shower (Moreno)	351.40	320.10	36.80
Pharwell (Lasswell)	3.90	2.50		
Scratched: Desert Lady				
Second Race	Jack Snapper (Lewell)	445.10	416.50	432.00
Whispering (G. Giff)	5.50	4.30		
Compensita (Gifford)	17.90			
Scratched: Fire Away, Bishop, Blue Fox, Caradura, Wired Music				
Daily double paid \$2,115.80				
Third Race	Electrode (London)	54.50	53.50	53.00
Offset (Moreno)	5.30	3.00		
Euclid (Pateron)	3.50			
Scratched: Showstration				
Fourth Race	Jade's Jade (Domestico)	54.50	43.80	52.80
Blue Flume (Peterson)	21.10	9.30		
Loose Green (Lila)	10.10			
Scratched: Vase Colleen, Cray, M. J. Jean, Sheriff Jim				
Fifth Race	Reed Lion (G. Giffon)	55.50	53.00	52.40
Chorus (Lasswell)	3.60	2.70		
Scratched: Bursin				
Sixth Race	War Anon (London)	54.50	53.50	52.80
Black Sulphur (Parnell)	9.70	4.00		
Wrightson (Parker)	3.40			
Seventh Race	Wudal King (Moreno)	54.50	53.50	52.80
Glenn (G. Giffon)	3.80	3.10		
Tomblin (Shomaker)	3.80			
Scratched: Ray				
R. B. Bette (Cunnamore)	54.50	54.00	54.40	
Dean Der (Lasswell)	7.70	3.00		
Gift Of Peace (London)	4.40			

### TIDES

Time	High	Low	Time	High	Low
Dec. 1	12:11	4:51	7:11	4:2	8:19
2	1:14	5:48	8:11	5:5	9:19
3	2:18	6:44	9:11	6:10	10:19
4	3:22	7:40	10:11	7:15	11:19
5	4:26	8:36	11:11	8:20	12:19
6	5:30	9:32	12:11	9:25	1:19
7	6:34	10:28	1:11	10:30	2:19
8	7:38	11:24	2:11	11:35	3:19
9	8:42	12:20	3:11	12:40	4:19
10	9:46	1:16	4:11	1:45	5:19
11	10:50	2:12	5:11	2:50	6:19
12	11:54	3:08	6:11	3:55	7:19
13	12:58	4:04	7:11	4:55	8:19
14	1:02	5:00	8:11	5:55	9:19
15	2:06	5:56	9:11	6:55	10:19
16	3:10	6:52	10:11	7:55	11:19
17	4:14	7:48	11:11	8:55	12:19
18	5:18	8:44	12:11	9:55	1:19
19	6:22	9:40	1:11	10:55	2:19
20	7:26	10:36	2:11	11:55	3:19
21	8:30	11:32	3:11	12:55	4:19
22	9:34	12:28	4:11	1:55	5:19
23	10:38	1:24	5:11	2:55	6:19
24	11:42	2:20	6:11	3:55	7:19
25	12:46	3:16	7:11	4:55	8:19
26	1:50	4:12	8:11	5:55	9:19
27	2:54	5:08	9:11	6:55	10:19
28	3:58	6:04	10:11	7:55	11:19
29	5:02	7:00	11:11	8:55	12:19
30	6:06	7:56	12:11	9:55	1:19
31	7:10	8:52	1:11	10:55	2:19

SUNRISE AND SUNSET  
Pacific Standard Time  
Dec. 1—Rises 7:46 a.m.; sets 4:31 p.m.

## Strange To Manage Spokane Indians

SPOKANE (AP)—Alan Strange, former big-league star with the Seattle Rainiers, will manage the Spokane Indians of the Western International Baseball League in 1950.

The announcement of Strange's appointment came Wednesday from Roy Hotchkiss, co-owner of the Spokane club.

Strange will come to Spokane from Bremerton where he managed the Bremerton Bluejackets for four years. He succeeds Jim Brillheart who led the Indians in 1949.

## Maple Leafs Buy Cleveland Goalie

TORONTO (CP)—Manager Conny Smythe of Toronto Maple Leafs Wednesday announced purchase of goaltender Al Rollins from Cleveland Barons of the American Hockey League just a day after he benched Leaf goalie Turk Broda for being overweight.

He said that Cleveland will get cash "in five figures"; Bobby Davies, who plays centre or defence, immediately, and three more players, including a goalie, next spring.

The 23-year-old Rollins arrives in Toronto tomorrow and if he passes a medical examination, the deal will be complete.

## Juvenile Soccer

Lower Island Junior and Juvenile Soccer League schedule for the week-end follows:

SATURDAY  
Third Division—1. Y.M.C.A. vs. Carey, lower Beacon Hill.  
Fourth Division—1. St. Saviours vs. Knights of Pythias, Victoria West.  
Exhibition—2. St. Saviours vs. St. Louis College, Newwood Avenue.

SUNDAY  
First Division—1. Beacon Taxi vs. Veterans of Franco, Newwood Avenue.  
Second Division—2. Argosy Cafe vs. Thillians, Victoria West.  
Fifth Division—3. James Bay vs. Five Points Bakery, Macdonald Park.

## Juvenile Hockey

Senators and Capitals of the Juvenile Hockey League will play at the Memorial Arena Saturday morning at 6:30, it was announced today.

Midgets will practice starting at 8 Saturday and Bantams from 10 to 12.

## Sports Round-Up

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.

NEW YORK (AP)—A report from Chicago says Frank Lane's prize project for the White Sox at the December baseball meetings is to pry third-baseman Hank Majeski away from Philadelphia Athletics.

...Roland Lastraza, the Bronx heavyweight who takes on Argentina's Cesar Brion tomorrow, still works in his father's butcher shop between fights.

...That doesn't mean he's willing to meat all comers... or that he's a clever boxer.

### NICE GUYS

When Ted Williams reached Chicago the other day for his first public appearance after winning the American League most valuable player award, one of the first persons he encountered was pitcher Allie Reynolds.

Allie made a gesture of mock despair and groaned: "I thought I wouldn't see you again for another four months."

...Ted just grinned and replied: "It's funny how friendly pitchers get in winter. They're not like that during the season."

### CLEANING THE CUFF

Leo Durocher is due in town today to start things moving for New York Giants before the winter meetings. In California he's been telling folks he never did want to get rid of Eddie Stanky.

### ALCOS CALL MEETING

Victoria Alcos Athletic Club will hold an important meeting in the committee room of the City Hall Monday night at 7:45. Active and supporting members of the club are invited.

## Citation, Ponder Nominated For Stakes

ARCADIA, Calif. (AP)—Citation and Ponder, two of the big names of the Calumet Farm's racing stable, have been named for two of the richest stakes at the coming Santa Anita meeting.

Official lists of the nominations will not be released for several days, but Santa Anita officials disclosed today that Citation, as expected, was nominated for the \$100,000 handicap next February and Ponder, thrice conqueror of the renowned Capot, was named for the \$100,000 Santa Anita maturity in January.

WORCESTER, Mass.—Tommy Bell 152, Youngstown, O., outpointed Hurley Sanders, 151, Newark, N.J. (10).

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## Warren Opposed In Saanich



REEVE E. C. WARREN

Seeking re-election for fourth consecutive term as reeve of Saanich, E. C. Warren is being opposed this year for the first time.

His opponent is Joseph W. Casey, a former Saanich councillor who has lived in the municipality seven years and who has resided in this area all of his life.

The two men were the only ones to file papers for the office of chief magistrate of the northern municipality when nominations



JOSEPH W. CASEY

for the Dec. 10 elections closed today.

Reeve Warren has been in Saanich municipal politics for 17 years.

Mr. Casey was a Saanich councillor in 1946.

In announcing he would oppose Reeve Warren, Mr. Casey said he did not think it was a healthy sign for the reeveship of a municipality to go uncontested.

**Sailor Charged With Manslaughter**

Donald Pedden, crew member of H.M.C.S. Crescent, appeared before Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court today and was charged with manslaughter. Charge arose from the traffic death of Clarence Clarke, H.M. C.S. Athabaskan, early last Saturday morning. James J. Proudfoot appeared as counsel and by consent the case was remanded to Dec. 8 for the preliminary hearing. Bail was fixed at \$1,500.

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## Production For 1949 Of Salmon Canneries 1,433,723 Cases

Federal fisheries department officials closed their books Saturday on the 1949 B.C. salmon canning season and reported to-day production had been slightly above the average for the past six years.

In the final bulletin on salmon canning, officials reported that during 25 weeks of operation B.C. canneries had turned out 1,433,723 48-pound cases of salmon. This figure was slightly above that for 1948 but short of the corresponding cycle year of 1945 when 1,739,311 cases were produced.

The average for the past six years works out at 1,405,337 cases so that the canneries this year can claim a slightly better year than average.

Pinks made up almost half the 1949 production, there being canned 709,217 cases. Sockeye ranked second in volume canned this year with 259,880 cases being turned out. Chums produced 226,241 cases, while the coho run amounted to 208,063 cases.

The chief supervisor of fisheries gave these figures on the other three minor salmon species which go into cans: Springs 21,065 cases, bluebacks 6,876 cases and steelheads 2,381 cases.

## Neely Says Police Relationship Good

In an election address to an audience at George Jay School Wednesday night, James Neely, Non-Partisan League candidate for a seat on the city police commission, outlined the work of the board in the past two years.

He said relationship between members of the police force and the commission had been friendly and constructive even though police union demands had to be taken to arbitration twice.

"I feel this was the fairest way of settling the questions," the commissioner said. "The commission naturally was trying to save the taxpayers' money."

He predicted that the police department's new traffic branch will be a great asset to the city in the future.

## Port Alice Firm Gets Forest License

Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney reported today that a forest management license covering 100,000 acres in the Quatsino Sound area had been approved by the provincial cabinet.

The license goes to the British Columbia Pulp and Paper Company which operates a pulp mill at Port Alice.

## College Professor To Give New Slant In Talk On Novelist



PROF. SIDNEY PETTIT

Something different in the way of lectures will be presented at the University Extension Association meeting at the Victoria College-Normal School auditorium Monday night when Prof. Sidney Pettit of the college staff speaks on the Hungarian-Jewish political novelist Arthur Koestler.

Prof. Pettit's idea is to take a man out of the context of history and examine him in the light of contemporary events. He has chosen Koestler as a good example of a disillusioned man of the 20th century.

Like many left-wingers, Koestler, who was born in 1905, embraced the Communist ideology in 1930—but abandoned it in 1937. Like many members of his generation he is seeking a new interpretation of life.

Prof. Pettit is well qualified to discuss the novelist. He has read his complete works, which include two autobiographical books, four political novels, a book of essays, a book on Palestine and two philosophical books. The history and sociology professor at the college stresses that his talk is neither a literary criticism nor an economic analysis, but a historical interpretation.

The speaker at Monday night's meeting, which starts at 8:15, received his B.A. from U.B.C. and his M.A. from University of Washington.

## 1,700 Seedlings To Be Distributed In Schools Here

A seedling tree is to be presented to each of the 1,700 primary grade pupils in Greater Victoria's public schools.

Distribution of the seedlings will commence Friday of this week. First to receive them will be the 41 grade-one youngsters at McKenzie Avenue School.

Seedling trees are presented each year to primary pupils in various parts of the province by the B.C. Pulp and Paper Industry. This year is the first time such a presentation has been made in Victoria.

Each youngster to receive a seedling will be given instructions on how and where to plant it and will be presented with a personal certificate, giving a brief synopsis of a tree's growth and value.

Those in the pulp and paper industry who are responsible for the distribution of seedlings hope the growing trees will serve as an inspiration to the youngsters who plant them as they, too, grow in stature and develop in character.

The executive committee of the Esquimalt Community Centre, 1123 Colville Road, will hold a meeting Tuesday night in the Centre, under the chairmanship of president of the board, John E. Carey.

## Nine Candidates Will Contest Three Esquimalt Council Seats

Esquimalt voters will have a much bigger slate of candidates than in previous years, from which to choose municipal councillors when they go to the polls a week Saturday.

Nine nomination forms for council positions were filed today at the Municipal Hall with James Eirik, returning officer. From this group, residents of the district will be asked to select three councillors to serve two-year terms.

Thumbnail sketches and pictures of the candidates follow:

Charles Smith, 531 Joffre, Born in London, England. Came to Esquimalt in 1911. Was 38 years car operator for B.C. Electric. Retired in 1947. Was elected to council in 1923. Served seven consecutive terms and then ran for police commission where he served six years. Returned to council in 1946. Chairman of lands committee this past year. Member of St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church and Sons of England.

G. R. Guillemaud, 859 Phoenix, Born at Duck Lake, Sask. Farmed outside Calgary and Edmonton before coming to coast in 1924. Has lived in Esquimalt 20 years. Is route salesman for Imperial Oil Company. Has served six consecutive two-year terms on municipal council. Has served during past year as chairman of fire and lights committee.

William H. Dallaway, 385 Lampson, Born in Brighton, England. Came to Victoria in 1911. Has been property owner in Esquimalt 25 years. Now on superannuation from N.A.V.I. Dockyard where he worked 27 years as carpenter. Served six years on Esquimalt School Board; was chairman one year. Served throughout World War I in navy. Is past president of Naval Veterans Branch, Canadian Legion, and past president of Legion's district council.

William Stephenson, 331 Coventry, Born Belfast, Northern Ireland. First came to Canada in 1913. Later returned to homeland but came back to dominion in 1923 and made home in Esquimalt, where he lived 23 years. Has been employed as truck driver for City of Victoria for 25 years. Now lives in city but owns house and property at 857 Colville Road. Making first try for council seat.

Walter Holder, 1011 Colville Rd. Was born in Winnipeg but came to coast with family at an early age. Has lived in Esquimalt since 1906. Is by trade a painting contractor. Has two sons of high school age. Bid this year for council seat is his first attempt at public office.

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**Oak Bay Home Damaged By Fire**

A front-room fire discovered this morning at 3:50 did approximately \$1,500 damage to the home of Mrs. C. F. Corbett, 767 Falkland Road. Cause of the blaze is being investigated.

Firemen in charge of Fire Chief Edward Claydon and Assistant Chief W. T. Pearson attended and quickly got the fire under control. Smoke seeping through the house awakened Mrs. Corbett, who saw the front of the house and fire and called firemen. Damage was done to the chesterfield and walls and there was smoke damage throughout the house.

## Durling Retains Commission Post

Ewart Durling, 631 Grenville Avenue, was re-elected by acclamation to the Esquimalt Police Commission when nominations closed today. He will serve for two years.

A retired army pensioner, Mr. Durling has been a municipal police commissioner for the past six years.

Born in Meopham, Kent, he came to Canada in 1910. He joined the Canadian Army upon arrival in Halifax. During World War I, he served overseas with the Ordnance Corps.

He was stationed at the Esquimalt Garrison in 1918 and has lived in the municipality since. He was retired from the army in 1938.

## Retailers Uncertain On Whether Or Not To Open On Dec. 28

Whether stores in Victoria will open on the Wednesday following Christmas or whether they will holiday for the four full days is a moot point at the present time.

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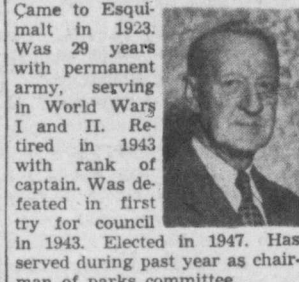
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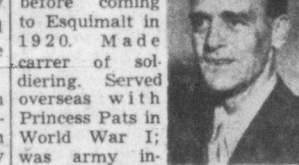
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Mrs. Annie McVie, 922 Lyall, Born in Faversham, England. Came to Esquimalt in 1919 as war bride. Entered politics in 1943, served four years as municipal school trustee. Tried unsuccessfully for council seat in 1947 and 1938. Has been president of Esquimalt Community Club for past 13 years and member of Esquimalt Friendly Help for 12 years. Vice-president of Veterans' Hospital Auxiliary and past president Daughters of England.



MRS. ANNIE MCVIE

Alexander Speirs, 471 Nelson, Born in Glasgow, Scotland. Came to Canada in 1911; settled in London, Ont., before coming to Esquimalt in 1920. Made career of soldiering. Served overseas with Princess Pats in World War I; was army instructor during World War II. Retired from army in 1946 with rank of captain. Member of Esquimalt branch, Canadian Legion. Was elected to serve 18-month term on council in 1947. Did not seek re-election when term expired last year.



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## Burt Lancaster Says He Avoided 'Going Hollywood'

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Burt Lancaster tells how he was able to avoid "going Hollywood."

"I was luckier than most," he said. "I didn't come to Hollywood until I was 32 years old."

"You might say I had my abnormal days before I came here. The very young people who come here are intoxicated with the excitement and glamour. Hollywood has never bowled me over."

"The only thing I've gotten out of Hollywood is a better living. And I'm doing the kind of work I like."

"I don't separate my career and marriage. Why should I? That's the reason a man gets married—to share his work with his wife. Hollywood is no threat to our marriage."

"My kids are too young yet to be affected either way by Hollywood. No doubt some day the fact that their father is a movie star will influence their lives somewhat. I can just hope that they will be intelligent enough to overcome it."

### CLOSED SETS

Do you know what a "closed set" is? Well, it's one of the occupational hazards of a movie reporter. It happens when the producer, director or star puts a "no admittance" sign on the stage door.

Naturally, I'm agin 'em. But there are two sides to every issue and here is the actor's, as presented by Joseph Cotten:

"Visitors are okay when you have a large set with several people working in the scene. Then the spectators have plenty to look at without concentrating on one object, or actor."

"But it's tough to be doing an intimate shot and have people constantly bobbing up and down in your line of vision. Imagine yourself trying to type a story with 16 persons breathing down your neck."

"Love scenes are especially hard to do on a crowded set. Visitors are naturally keen to see the hero plant a big kiss on the girl's rosy lips. They crowd in closer for a good look."

"For example, the other day I was playing a love scene with Joan Fontaine in 'September.' We were playing to a packed house and the visitors kept moving in closer. When we came to the climax, I almost found myself kissing a school teacher from Milwaukee."

## East Port Busy With Winter Shipping

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP)—Activity at the all-year port of Saint John quickened today as loading and unloading of eight ocean-going vessels heralded a busy winter shifting season.

The 20,000-ton liner Empress of Canada arrived this afternoon on the first of four trips between Saint John and the United Kingdom, via Halifax. Her sister ship, the Empress of France, also will make four round trips during the season.

Twelve other ocean vessels are due here within the next seven days. The Beaverdel and Beaverford, first "Beaver" ships to arrive, docked Tuesday from London and Liverpool.

Two major improvements have been added to the port's facilities at a cost of more than \$4,000,000. One is a \$3,000,000 pier. The other is a \$1,100,000 passenger and immigration building.



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TRUMANS LEAVE FOR VACATION—U.S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson bids farewell to President Truman, Mrs. Truman and Margaret as the first U.S. family leaves Washington, D.C., for a vacation in Florida. Margaret, who had just completed a concert tour, sported a brand-new camera for the vacation. (NEA Photo)

## Silver Dollars Scarce Now Many Folks Still Like Them

DENVER (UP)—The average purse-hugger wouldn't know it, but there still is a demand for the old-fashioned silver dollar.

In this day of folding money, folks still are asking for the favorite mazzama of the Colorado mining barons.

The big cartwheel, which once could buy more than a stack of the present-day green stuff, seldom is seen now in ordinary day-to-day exchange.

Bankers believe the biggest group of present-day silver dollar users are people who frequent gambling places and slot machine players. The heavy dollar is too bulky now to serve the financial needs of the housewife or average consumer, especially with the drastic cheapening of money during the past decade.

### NOT GROCERY MONEY

Even in western states like Colorado, where 15 years ago cashiers always returned silver dollars in change for folding money unless specifically requested not to, the silver dollar is dropping out of the money picture as far as the grocery-buyer is concerned.

They still are not as rare in the west, however, as in the east, where a silver dollar seldom is seen outside a bank vault.

Despite the silver dollar's disappearance from the bulk of trade, it still is popular with some people. Moses Smith, director of the U.S. mint in Denver, said the hard dollars are being distributed to federal reserve banks at a rate of about 4,000,000 a year.

The treasury has stockpile in

which he liked to throw onto the stage of the Leadville opera house when a trim figure drew his admiration. Some of the silver barons used the dollars for flooring as an obvious motif.

A part of the present demand for silver dollars, the Denver mint believes, may be attributable to the growing demand for coin in this country.

U.S. mints in the past decade have produced 50 per cent of all the coinage turned out in the United States in the past 150 years.

Until dollar parking meters and peanut machines come along, however, gambling probably will provide the chief demand for the old-fashioned cartwheel.



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## Alberta's Siamese Twins Live Wholly Independent Lives

TOFFIELD, Alta. (CP) — Behaviour of the Siamese twin girls born here 13 days ago is entirely separate, hospital authorities said Wednesday.

One may be hungry and crying while the other is lying contented and asleep.

The babies, Beverly and Brenda Townsend, are joined at the abdomen, but have been in good health ever since birth.

They weighed nine pounds 12 ounces when born to Mrs. E. A. Townsend, 20, and were at first kept in an incubator to build them up.

They now have been taken out of the incubator and continue to gain weight slowly.

Nurses said they are being fed and handled the same as normal babies.

No attempt has yet been made to separate them.

### SPOKEN LETTERS

Something new in letting the folks back home know how you are doing is being tried this year in Antarctica. Crews of Norwegian whalers will record letters on a wire recorder. The message rolls will be mailed to Oslo when the ships reach Cape town.

## Grandmother Comes From England At 90

CHILLIWACK (BUP) — Reginald Murphy of Chilliwack today was getting ready to welcome his mother, grandmother and three brothers and sisters, all from England.

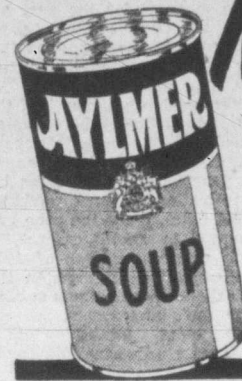
His grandmother, 90-year-old Mrs. Elizabeth Cottrell of Bromborough, Cheshire, England, together with Mrs. Isabel Murphy and three grandchildren arrived at Halifax aboard a C.P.R. liner Tuesday.

They are coming to join Reginald Murphy, who has lived here for the past two years. And Reginald was a busy man today preparing for their arrival.

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When your nose is stuffy or blocked up by a cold, you've got the "Nose Cold Blues." You lack pep... feel miserable all day. For quick, satisfying relief, use Vicks Vapo-Rol Nose Drops. In seconds this specialized medication helps clear away congestion... lets you breathe again. Get a bottle today. Keep it handy.

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**Kids DON'T FORGET TO SEND IN YOUR LABELS FOR THE AYLMEER SOUP Contest**

52 wonderful prizes to the boys and girls collecting the most labels from any type of AYLMEER SOUP. Your grocer has complete prize list and rules. But hurry! Contest ends 5 p.m., December 10, 1949. Mail or bring in your labels to McILWAINE BROS., 1202 WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, wrapped in a single parcel with your name, address and total number of labels printed clearly on a sheet of plain paper.

THIS WINTER ...

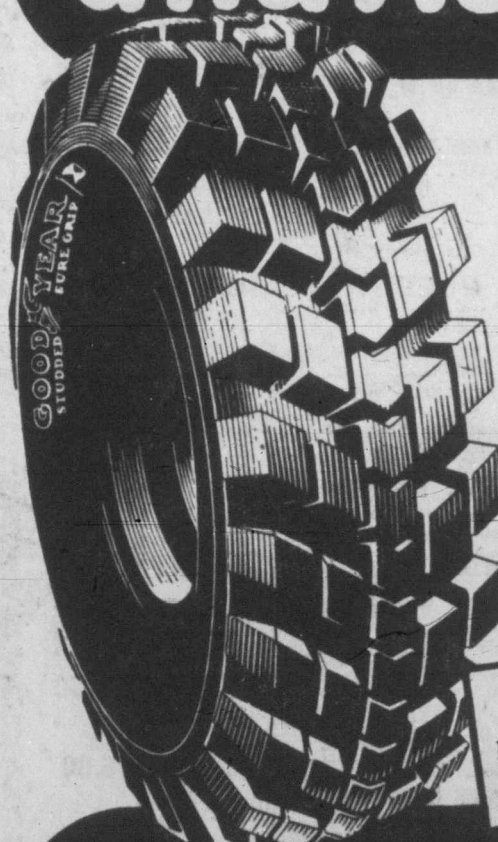
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## Gene Autry Takes \$25,000 Endowment Of Horse 'Champ'

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — How much social security can a horse use? Gene Autry's Champion is getting \$25,000 worth.

The horse is the beneficiary of one of the strangest insurance policies in this town of strange insurance policies. Everything has been insured—from Jimmy Durante's nose to Betty Grable's gams.

Now comes Champion.

"I want to be sure that if anything happens to me, Champ won't have to end his days pulling a milk wagon," explained Autry.

So the policy was signed and sealed this week. It provides a \$25,000 endowment to take care of the horse. That can provide a lot of oats and carrots. (Autry doesn't approve of giving the horse sugar.)

"The fund will provide \$100 a month for feed and \$100 a month for someone to watch after Champ," Autry added.

The socially-secure nag is actually the second Champion, the first having died in 1945 at 16 years.

Champion II now is four years old and will perform another 13 years before retiring to clip coupons.

"With the right kind of care, he could live into his late 20s," Gene remarked. He said Champ's tricks are too numerous to name, but the most noted is leaping on a piano and staying there while Gene croons a cowboy ditty.



**HIGH OLD TIME** — Towering refreshments were in order when the Tall Girl Club of Chicago met to celebrate its ninth anniversary. Members June Ruopp and Helen Lukacs had to stretch a bit to cut the six-foot cake baked for the occasion.

### Seattle Boys Charged

BELLINGHAM (AP)—Three Seattle 'teen-agers were charged today in Superior Court here with second degree burglary.

Albert E. Koepfle, 19; Donald E. Cupp, 19, and Robert W. Steadman, 18, are accused of entering a Birch Bay resort cabin owned by Dr. E. R. Nordin, Vancouver, B.C.

## Old Lion Of Morocco Now In Exile Plans To Return

By SAM SOUKI

CAIRO (UP)—The old Lion of Morocco is rumbling and pawing the earth again as he lopes through the narrow confines of his gilded cage.

Emir Abdel Krim, that almost legendary figure of Morocco, who fought French and Spanish armies with his Riff warriors in 1925, is living in exile in Egypt, and not liking it.

He came to Egypt in 1947 when he abandoned his ship at Port Said while the French were escorting him from his exile in Reunion Island to France, there to spend his remaining days. But North African nationalists persuaded him to jump ship, and once again take up the cudgels for North African freedom.

The "old lion," aged by more

than 20 years in exile, shuffled through the halls of the Arab League and the Egyptian government, hoping that he would get at least the moral support of his Arab brethren.

But they were all busy with Palestine, and when Palestine ended in defeat, the Emir snorted in disgust at the poor fight and sank into a frustrated silence.

The veteran Riff leader realized that the time was not propitious for any North African campaign, military or political.

Now, two years after the Palestine affair and with the Arabs

trying to stage a comeback on the international scene by constructive social and political plans, the old lion is stirring.

### SEEKS U.N. SUPPORT

He has been meeting people, and preparing a new drive to get better conditions for the North Africans.

Recently Emir Abdel Krim visited Egyptian Premier Hussein Sirry Pasha to thank him for Egypt's support of North Africa at the United Nations. The Emir wants a United Nations inquiry

commission to investigate conditions in North Africa. All indications point to the Emir being determined to carry out some decisive moves in favor of North Africa.

Fine of \$35 was imposed against Francis Fyke, 1122 View Street, by Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court Wednesday. He was found guilty on a charge of careless driving Nov. 13 at Fernwood Road and Hillside Avenue. Similar charge against Arthur Brown, 1936 Brighton Avenue, involved in the same accident, was dismissed.

## How does a Hillman go in Snow?

READ WHAT A SKI EXPERT HAS TO SAY ABOUT ONE OF HIS MANY LONG TRIPS



Mr. Douglas Mann, skiing enthusiast and former Canadian Champion, whose letter is one of many received from happy Hillman owners.

"On a Friday early last March," writes Mr. Mann, "we set out in our Hillman from London, Ont., for one of our regular weekend trips. We stayed in Ottawa overnight, and reached St. Jovite in the Laurentians next morning, after a lovely scenic drive over snowy mountain roads. We thoroughly enjoyed a strenuous ski-ing weekend, then left for London at 8 p.m. on Sunday, arriving at 10.30 next morning. Much of the credit for this wonderful winter trip goes to our Hillman! Even in deep snow, we cruised serenely along with ample power and traction. We covered a total of 1150 miles, at an average speed of 48 mph. Average gas consumption was a very welcome 39\* miles per gallon!"

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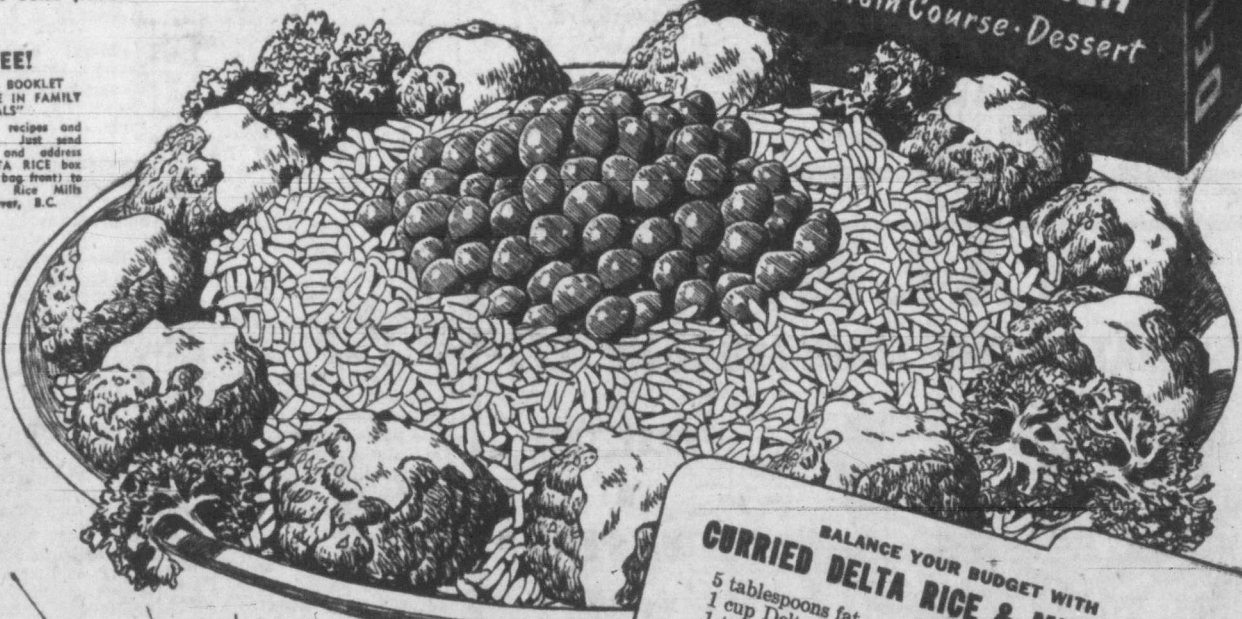
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5 tablespoons fat  
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2½ cups boiling water or meat stock  
2 teaspoons salt  
1½ lb. ground beef  
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1 egg, beaten  
1 to 2 tsp. curry powder

\*If salted stock is used, salt may be reduced.

Add bread crumbs, salt, pepper, lemon juice and egg to ground meat. Shape lightly into balls, then roll in flour and brown in fat. Remove meat balls and add fat to pan. Add the Delta Rice and onion, and stir over a low heat until the rice is golden brown. Add the boiling water or stock and salt. Place meat balls around the edge of the frying pan. Cover closely and cook over low heat 20 to 25 minutes, or until rice is tender. Add curry powder to rice just before serving. Six delicious servings.

This recipe for Curried Rice is on back of Delta Rice carton.



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## Voters' List Up

NANAIMO—An increase of 69 in the number of names on this year's civic voters' list over that of last year's is reported by Harold Hackwood, returning officer. This year's total is 2,930 names.

## Death By Misadventure

NANAIMO—Death by misadventure was the coroner jury's verdict at the investigation of circumstances surrounding the death of John Theodore Brentzen and Oscar Steinberg in an automobile crash at Nanose Bay Sunday morning.

## Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)  
**ATLAS**—My Friend Irma, starring Marie Wilson.  
**CAPITOL**—Red, Hot and Blue, starring Betty Hutton and Victor Mature.  
**DOMINION**—Pinky, starring Jeanette MacDonald and Ethel Barrymore.  
**FOX**—The Sun Comes Up, starring Jeanette MacDonald.  
**OAK BAY**—The Plainsman, starring Gary Cooper.  
**PLAZA**—Gene Raymond in "Sofia."  
**RIO**—On the stage, "Laffs-A-Poppin."  
**ROYAL**—Adventure in Baltimore, starring Robert Young and Shirley Temple.  
**STARTING TIMES**  
**ATLAS**—2.47, 6.04, 9.26.  
**CAPITOL**—1.37, 3.38, 5.39, 7.40, 9.41.  
**DOMINION**—1.00, 3.05, 5.05, 7.15, 9.25.  
**FOX**—6.45, 9.00. Wednesday and Saturday, 2.00.  
**OAK BAY**—Doors 6.30.  
**ODEON**—1.08, 3.14, 5.20, 7.26, 9.35.  
**PLAZA**—1.00, 4.02, 7.04, 10.06.  
**RIO**—Doors 5.30. Saturday 12.30.  
**ROYAL**—2.58, 6.13, 9.31.

## Today's Crossword Puzzle

**HORIZONTAL**

1. Dejected vehicle  
 3. Island  
 13. Willard  
 14. Erect  
 15. Decrease  
 16. Geological  
 18. Instrument for stamping dates  
 19. Moving  
 20. And (Latin)  
 21. Egyptian sun god  
 22. Lease  
 23. Let stand  
 24. Tugboat (ab.)  
 25. Pair (ab.)  
 26. Blackbird of the cuckoo family  
 27. Petty quarrel  
 28. Judicial bench  
 29. Father  
 30. Troop (ab.)  
 31. Muse of poetry  
 32. Accomplish  
 33. Warning devices  
 34. Prankster  
 35. Most stricken by poverty  
 36. Nations (ab.)  
 37. It is propelled by

**VERTICAL**

1. Harter  
 2. Returned premiums  
 3. Wad (comb. form)  
 4. Belgian river  
 5. Courts (ab.)  
 6. French article  
 7. Editors (ab.)  
 8. Artists (ab.)  
 9. Tidy  
 10. Bathroom  
 11. Biblical mountain for tannation  
 12. Clump of insects  
 13. Pastry  
 14. Pierce with a knife  
 15. Food fish  
 16. Scurvy  
 17. Races  
 18. Social insect  
 19. Observe  
 20. Symbol for erbium  
 21. Scope  
 22. Covers with pitch  
 23. On time (ab.)  
 24. Opera by Verdi  
 25. Grating  
 26. Stagger  
 27. Social insect  
 28. Observe  
 29. Symbol for erbium

**ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE**

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## Bridge

By Wm. E. McKenney  
**AMERICA'S CARD AUTHORITY CARELESSNESS COSTS A GOOD MANY BIDS**  
 No trip to the Mayfair Bridge Club in New York, which is operated by Harry J. Fishbein and Mrs. Phyllis Schellenberg, would be complete unless I secured a hand from the little black book of the maestro himself. Remember earlier in the week when Fishbein said that carelessness was a definite weakness in a player's game? That thought also has been expressed by B. Jay Becker, and every expert keeps it well in mind.  
 Fishbein gave me today's hand and it is one in which carelessness could easily cost you your contract. Before getting into the play, Fishbein pointed out that the five-spade bid by South was a cue bid, showing the ace of spades. This was made not with the idea of just getting to six, but asking if there was a possibility of playing the hand at seven. However, North decided six was enough on the hand.  
 The night this hand was played in one of the duplicate games at the Mayfair Bridge Club, Fishbein said that at every

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 ETHEL WATERS \* WILLIAM LUNDIGAN  
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**30c**  
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**My Friend Irma**  
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

A small gift sale, tea and bingo will be held by the Order of the Royal Purple Auxiliary to the B.P.O. Elks on Friday, Dec. 2, commencing at 2.30 p.m., Elks' Home. There will be home cooking and small gift stalls. No gift to exceed \$1.00. Come and bring a friend.

**Alcoholics Anonymous.** Confidential assistance on drink problems, P.O. Box 1, Victoria, B.C.

**Announcing that Beatrice Cooke,** author of "Till Fish Us Do Part," will autograph her book Saturday, Dec. 3, 2.30 to 4 p.m., at the Marionette. A grand Christmas gift. Come and meet the author.

**Annual holly bazaar of the Junior Auxiliary to the B.C. Protestant Orphanage** will be held on Saturday, Dec. 3, from 2.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m., at the Home, 2691 Cook Street. Home cooking, novelties, etc. Afternoon tea.

**Annual Meeting — Nursery School Association,** tonight, Dec. 1, Arts Centre, 823 Broughton Street, at 8. Showing International Prize B.C. Film in sound and color, "Loon's Necklace," also, "Meeting Emotional Needs of the Pre-School Children." Those interested are cordially invited.

**Antiques.—To make room for the beautiful articles purchased on Mrs. MacDonald's recent European trip, the Treasure Room at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel will offer a special sale in the hotel beginning Monday, Dec. 5, when lovely antique and modern pieces of China, Glass, Silver, etc., will be on sale at greatly reduced prices.**

**An appeal to Victoria** from the sick and hungry children of the world. Will you help? One dollar will buy a daily dose of cod liver oil for almost 300 children. Your contribution, no matter how small, is welcome. Send it today c/o United Nations, Prince Robert House, or to P.O. Box 1000, Victoria, B.C.

**Arrange your wedding reception at Craigville—G0031 for appointment.**

**Arts Centre of Greater Victoria,** 823 Broughton Street, Louis Muhlstock exhibition of paintings from National Gallery, Western Circuit, will open Thursday, Dec. 1, until Saturday, Dec. 10. Members' evening for discussion of these pictures Tuesday, Dec. 6, 8 p.m. Gallery hours: 11 a.m. to 5.30 p.m., Tuesday to Saturday, and Saturday evenings 7.30 to 9.30. Friday noon, lunchtime musicale.

**Attention! War medals and ribbons to order.** Jack Davis Ltd., 623 Yates Street.

**Chiropract: W. J. Fraser,** D.S.C., now located 107 Pemberton Building, B 3252.

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**Christmas Bazaar and Tea—St. Mary's Guild,** Friday, Dec. 2, 2.30 p.m., Church Hall, Yale Street, Oak Bay. Linens, woolens, fancy work, home-cooking, candy.

**Christmas Bazaar — Central Junior High School,** Friday, Dec. 2, 2.30 to 5 p.m. Home-cooking, novelties, sewing. Afternoon tea will be served.

**Children's Annuals from 25c.** Kentish Bookshop, 1123 Langley Street. E 2011.

**Extra Special at \$3.98—Rayon-knit Nighties.** Pastel shades. Lady Mae, 824 Yates. B 3342.

**Ladies' Auxiliary to Esquimalt Branch, No. 172, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L.,** invite you to a bazaar at 2.30 p.m., Klondike Night at 8 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 2, in Britannia Legion Hall.

**Joan's Beauty Salon** opens new premises (through Watson's Woolies), 2519 Estevan Avenue, Oak Bay. G 9169. From Dec. 1.

**Jumble Sale—Aldyen Hamber Chapter, L.O.D.E.,** Saturday, Dec. 3, 9 a.m., 819 Broughton Street, next to Royal Theatre.

**Malahat Tourist Bungalows,** individual, modern, furnished and open fireplace. Winter rates. Malahat P.O.

**Mount View High School P.T.A. bazaar and tea, physical education display, fashion parade, Friday, Dec. 2, 2.30 p.m. 35c.**

**Optometrist — Howard L. McDiarmid.** Complete optometric service. Appointment, E 7111, Hudson's Bay Co.

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**Ronald F. Jones, B.A., B.Sc.,** wishes to announce his succession to the optometric practice of W. T. Overstall, at Suite 204, Kresge Bldg.

**Ronsons repaired while you wait.** Kilburger's Jeweler, 703 Fort.

**Sale of Work—Afternoon tea** to be opened by Miss Kathleen Agnew at 2.30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 2, Salvation Army Citadel, Pandora Avenue. Musical to be held in evening at 8.

**Skilful barber service (a habit).** Estevan Barber Shop (basement), 2518 Estevan Ave. "You'll like my work," Harry Firth.

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**The Strawberry Vale F.T.A.** will present their concert, "Christmas Fantasy," with the Velda Hille School of Dancing and assisting artists, on Friday, Dec. 2, at 8 p.m., in the Tillikum School Auditorium. Admission, adults 35c, children 15c. Door prize.

**Women's Canadian Club, 40th anniversary tea, Empress Ballroom, Dec. 6.** Tickets at Fletcher's, Thursday and Friday, Dec. 1 and 2, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**STARTS TOMORROW**  
**PARAMOUNT presents**  
**GARY COOPER**  
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 2nd Chapter of Serial  
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# The Innocent Impostor

By Renee Shann

**THE STORY:** Patience Mond goes to London three times a week to attend dress-making school. It is the only freedom allowed her by the two old-fashioned aunts who have brought her up and with whom she lives in the country. On the commuting train she meets Paul Taylor, who lives in a neighboring village and who finds himself attracted to the young girl. They date secretly, fall in love. The aunts find out, force Patience to promise not to see Paul again. Paul wants her to tell them she's going to marry him. But Patience can't do it. They quarrel. Sometime later on the train from London, Patience finds herself in the same compartment as Paul. A flashy blonde is with him.

**CHAPTER NINE**  
FUNKY HOW I look forward to this journey now, the blonde girl sitting next to Paul said. "And it used to bore me to death."

Patience opened her magazine. Oh dear, she didn't want to listen! Must they go on talking? Could she perhaps move to another carriage? But there wouldn't be any room. And, anyway, it would be so cowardly.

"Paul?"  
"How about a cigarette in the corridor?"  
"That's not a bad idea."

They stood out there talking together. Their heads quite close.

**AUNT WAS CORRECT**  
Patience tried to harden her heart against him. He couldn't really ever have been serious about her, she told herself. If he were he'd not have forgotten her so easily. He was shallow,

and not worth bothering about. How lucky she'd been that her Aunt Helen had been so firm about refusing to allow her to have any more to do with him! And then at that moment he turned his head and looked back into their carriage. Their eyes met. Just for an instant she thought: "Oh no. I'm wrong! He's not shallow. He did really love me." And then his expression changed. It became cold and hard. He turned back again to the blonde girl and bent his head nearer to hers. "Your magazine, Miss."

The soldier picked it up for her. A tear splashed down her cheek, followed quickly by another. He looked at her sympathetically.

"You not feeling too good, Miss?"  
"I'm all right, thank you."

"Going far?" he asked in a friendly tone.

"To Oakley."

"I'm going to Chelmsford. It's a bit further on."

It was a help to have him to talk to. It took her mind off those two in the corridor. But at Broxbourne, when the other passengers got out, they came back again. And now there were only the four of them in the carriage.

"Better with a bit more room, isn't it?" said the soldier, stretching his legs.

"Much better," said the blonde girl. "Paul darling, I think now it's turning a little chilly."

**READ STEADILY**  
Up went the window. Did he always, thought Patience angrily, do everything she wanted? She read the serial steadily until they reached Oakley.

"This your station?" asked the soldier.  
"Yes."

He leaned forward and opened the door for her. And then got out after her.

"But you don't get out here, do you?"

"No," he grinned and cocked his head in the direction of the carriage. "I think I'll find somewhere else and leave them two lovebirds together."

He was bundling himself and his kit into another compartment in a jiffy. He waved to her from the window. But Paul hadn't noticed her going. Not one look from her seat as she'd risen from her seat and got out of the train. And the soldier had called them two lovebirds!

She'd never dreamed anything could hurt her so terribly. She went slowly home, not wanting to reach the house, not wanting to have to go in and talk to her aunts.

She heard voices as she opened the front door. They were coming from the sitting room. Visitors, she thought in consternation, and was about to flee up the stairs when the door opened and her Aunt Alice stood there, looking flustered and excited.

"Ah, there you are, darling child! We've been hoping you'd be home soon. Come along in! There's someone here who's looking forward tremendously to seeing you."

Patience hesitated. She looked desperately at her aunt.

"Aunt Alice, must I? I'm so tired and so dirty. Couldn't I just go upstairs and tidy first? I—I don't feel like talking to anybody. I—"

And then she stopped short, for there just behind her aunt was a girl of about her own age. A girl who had the same color hair and the same color eyes and was exactly the same build. Only this girl was smartly dressed and her lipstick

was a vivid scarlet, as were her nails. Her lashes, too, were darkened with mascara, and her eyebrows a neat feathery line. She was—Patience stared at her—why, she was like herself as she might be if some fairy princess had come along and waved a magic wand over her!

"You don't know who I am, do you?" asked the girl.

Aunt Helen now was fluttering behind her. She, too, seemed in a state of great excitement.

"How could she know, Charlotte dear?"

"Charlotte!" Patience's heart shook. Charlotte! Her twin sister's name had been Charlotte.

"You're not—oh, you can't be—"

she gasped.

"She is," said her Aunt Helen. "Patience dear, isn't it wonderful to think that, after all these years, we have found her!"

(To Be Continued)

## Scout News

Parents' group of 1st Fairfield Scouts and Cubs met Tuesday night in the Scout Hall with Mel Mooney in the chair. Plans are now completed for the annual country fair to be held in the Scout Hall, Chester Street, Dec. 2. Unusual games and contests have been arranged and the Lady with the Thousand Pockets will circulate among the visitors during the evening.

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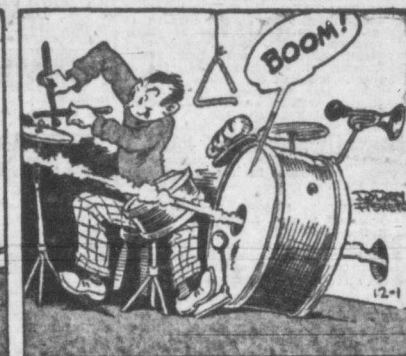
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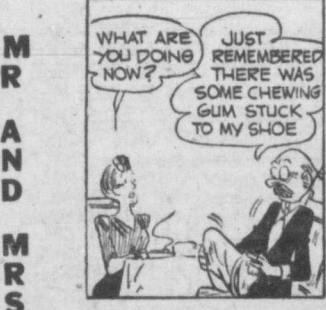
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# My Three Years In Moscow

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## Soviets Underestimated West, Believed Airlift Could Not Supply Berlin

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We had our first meeting on the Berlin blockade question with Stalin at 9 p.m. on Aug. 2, 1948. He seemed affable from the beginning, and I must say that to me his good humor certainly was justified from his point of view. By blockading all of our communications with Berlin, except by air, it looked at that time as if he had confronted us with the flat alternative of getting out of Berlin in ignominious defeat or of staying on under sufferance and abandoning our announced plan of setting up a separate government for Western Germany.

I must say also that at the time the situation did not look too hopeful to me, either. We had done some remarkable things in the way of supply during the war, but I had serious doubts as to whether we could feed and supply a huge city by air for a prolonged period, especially during the winter months, when flying conditions in Eastern Germany were notoriously uncertain. Nor was I by any means sure that the morale of the German people would stand the strain.

I knew, however, that General Clay was confident and determined. He had told me that he was sure that he could, if necessary, build up the air lift to 10,000 tons a day, and I felt certain that, if it lay within the scope of human capability to supply Berlin and defeat the blockade, he would do it.

Thus we also held a few good cards when we faced Stalin and Molotov across the conference table in the Kremlin. We believed that we might draw even better ones, as this "poker game" progressed.

Speaking for the three Western governments, and addressing Stalin, I made this statement of our position:

"... It was the feeling of our governments that if these measures arose from technical difficulties, such difficulties can be easily remedied. The three governments renew their offer of assistance to this end. If in any way related to the currency problem, such measures are obviously uncalled for, since this problem could have been, and can now be, adjusted by representatives of the four powers in Berlin. If, on the other hand, these measures are designed to bring about negotiations among the four occupying powers, they are equally unnecessary, since the governments of the United Kingdom, the United States and France have never at any time declined to meet representatives of the Soviet Union to discuss questions relating to Germany. However, if the purpose of these measures is to attempt to compel the three governments to abandon their rights as occupying powers in Berlin, the Soviet government will understand from what has been stated previously that such an attempt could not be allowed to succeed.

**UNWILLING TO BELIEVE**  
"In spite of recent occurrences the three powers are unwilling to believe that this last reason is the real one. Rather they assume that the Soviet government shares their view that it is in the interest of all four occupying powers, of the German people and of the world in general to prevent any further deterioration of the position and to find a way by mutual agreement to bring to an end the extremely dangerous situation that has developed in Berlin."

Stalin announced emphatically that it was not the purpose of the Soviet government to force the Western governments from Berlin. "After all," he said, "we are still allies."

But he added in no uncertain terms that the Western powers no longer had a juridical right to occupy Berlin, implying that we had forfeited this right by the decision to set up a Western German government at Frankfurt and by introducing the new Western currency in Berlin. He developed the argument that the communications restrictions in Berlin were a measure of self defence by the Soviet government because of the actions of the Western "powers to which he referred.

We explained that, contrary to his apparent understanding, it never had been contemplated that the government at Frankfurt would be a central German government. The agency to be set up now would hamper in no way eventual understanding on a central government for united Germany.

The remainder of the meeting, which lasted for more than two hours, was consumed by the discussion that developed from these points. We seemed to be in agreement or approaching agreement, on several moot questions, and the atmosphere, I thought, remained friendly.

Finally, when we seemed to

have progressed as far as possible, and I myself was beginning to be at a loss for new avenues of approach to the same old question, Stalin threw himself back in his chair, lighted a cigarette and, smiling as he looked directly at me, asked:

"Would you like to settle the matter tonight?"

I replied of course that there was nothing I would like better. "Very well," Stalin said, "I can meet you on this proposal. There should be a simultaneous introduction of the Soviet zone Deutsche mark in place of the Western B mark, together with the removal of all transport restrictions. Second, while the Soviet government will no longer ask as a condition the deferment of the implementation of the London decisions for setting up a Western government in Germany, this should be recorded as the insistent wish of the Soviet government."

This proposal seemed promising to me. I had been accustomed for years to mapping specific programs of action within broad general decisions in principle. Stalin's proposition seemed to me to be a decision in principle, within which we could work with Mr. Molotov and his assistants in framing a directive to the Allied representatives in Berlin, under which they in turn could settle all details.

I accepted Generalissimo Stalin's statement in this light. I told him of my own approval and that the three of us would present his proposals to our respective governments for action. Later, in my office at Mokhovaya, I compared impressions with Ambassador Chateaugue and Mr. Roberts. We felt decidedly encouraged. It seemed to us that the atmosphere of the discussion and Stalin's proposal were such that a settlement of the Berlin crisis could be effected immediately.

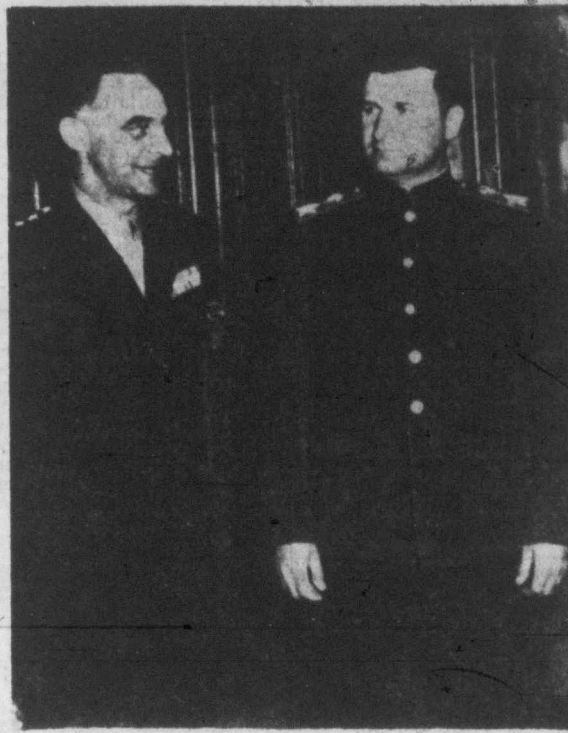
Our reports that night to our governments reflected this encouragement and raised hopes that later were to be shattered.

In this atmosphere of optimism, we approached the task of working out general details with Molotov and arranging the technical questions that would accompany substitution of the Soviet zone mark for the Western B mark in Berlin. Our problem was to write a formal agreement with the Soviet representative, which would lead to a lifting of the blockade.

While Stalin had given assent to general principles, Molotov proved again to be a stubborn, intransigent and difficult bargainer in matters of detail. Time after time, it seemed to us that he reneged on statements that Stalin had made. For instance, Molotov wanted to make the postponement of the establishment of a Western German government a condition of lifting the blockade, and on several occasions he endeavored to put this condition into the formal agreement.

Stalin had spoken of lifting "all transport restrictions" and we had understood this to mean a complete lifting of the blockade as soon as Soviet currency had been substituted for the Western currency in Berlin. Molotov, however, would agree only to lifting those transportation restrictions that had been imposed "after the announcement of currency reform in the Western zones," that is, after June 18. This meant that while the Soviet government might be willing to let the trains re-enter Berlin, it still would insist on inspecting every passenger and every shipment of freight and the licensing of every barge-load of goods.

The question of currency control was the greatest ostensible stumbling block. We insisted and



**BLOCKADE BATTLE COMMANDERS**—The two field commanders in the battle of the Berlin blockade were Gen. Lucius Clay, left, representing the three western powers, and Marshal Sokolovsky for the Soviets. In the final stage, Marshal Sokolovsky refused to accept a directive reached by the western envoys with Stalin.

tried to make Mr. Molotov understand that there must be genuine four-power control over the issue and control of Soviet marks circulating throughout Berlin. We were sure that if provisions for four-power control were not made absolutely certain, we would simply be transferring our difficulties from one field to another; that is, we would be giving the Soviet Union the power to strangle us by currency restrictions, just as they now seemed to have the power to starve us by a traffic blockade.

### KREMLIN BENT ON CONTROL

It became increasingly apparent that if Molotov's attitude meant anything more than playing for time for the blockade to do its worst, it meant that the Kremlin was bent on controlling the life of Berlin whether the Western occupation troops remained there or not.

During our talks with Molotov, when technical questions arose, our position consistently was that these could be settled only in Berlin by our representatives on the spot. Molotov, as consistently, rejected this theory. He wanted everything settled in Moscow on his own grounds.

Gradually we reached the position of stalemate that one so often encounters in dealing with the Soviet Union, whose representatives understand Fabian tactics so well. The only possible way out seemed to lay through another talk with Stalin. This we asked for and it was arranged.

In preparation for this meeting, the three Western governments had agreed upon a new plan to put before the Generalissimo. This draft embodied the points discussed in our first meeting with him but took into account also the issues subsequently raised by Molotov during our four long and laborious meetings. Insofar as these issues could be harmonized with the rights and duties of the Western occupation forces in Berlin, our proposal took the form of a directive to our military governments in Berlin, requiring them to work out the detailed arrangements for implementing the principles with respect to currency and transport restrictions as formulated in Moscow. It also contained a proposed communiqué to be issued by the Moscow conferees on behalf of the four governments, finalizing the arrangements worked out by the military governors, and putting them into effect.

### STALIN HAS NEW PLAN

We met with Stalin for the second time on Aug. 23. He was still jovial, and after greeting us in a friendly fashion, said quickly, "Gentlemen, I have a new plan."

I remarked that Stalin's reputation as a strategist certainly had been justified, because he had anticipated us, but that we too had a new plan.

"Good," Stalin rejoined, "we can compare them."

We proceeded to a paragraph-by-paragraph comparison, and I was pleased to see that the two drafts were close to each other in many respects.

But because Molotov's position on a number of important points had been so much at variance with statements Stalin had made to us at our previous meetings, I tried to get definite and speci-

lin was determined, if possible, to delay these plans. If he could do so, the confidence of the Germans in the West would be shattered.

Now the three governments set out to see how far they could go to satisfy Stalin without compromising their basic decision. They were unanimous in the conviction that Stalin's proposed statement about the discussion of plans for a Western German government would be misunderstood and, therefore, could not be accepted. They were willing to announce publicly that they still desired a four-power agreement on establishment of a central government for all of Germany and that they would make a sincere endeavor to find out whether there was any real prospect of such agreement.

They would affirm that the London decisions did not preclude such an agreement. Farther than this they would not go.

Soviet disappointment was reflected by Mr. Molotov's attitude at our next meeting. Before he had been restrained and courteous, but now he became truculent. His pleasant manners disappeared, and we wrangled over each word and every sentence in our proposed directive to the military commanders in Berlin. Finally, on Aug. 27, we reached agreement on the wording of this directive, and it was transmitted to the four military governments in Berlin. Very briefly, it required them, within a week, to find practical ways of doing two things at the same time: lifting the blockade and introducing Soviet currency into Berlin under effective, four-power supervision.

**DIRECTIVE UNACCEPTED**  
The Soviet military governor refused to accept both the meaning of the directive and the clear understanding we had reached with Stalin.

At our last meeting with Stalin, we had agreed to meet again on the date fixed for the military governors to conclude their discussions. But before this day came I heard that Stalin had left Moscow on vacation, and I knew beyond question that the Politburo intended the session in Berlin to end in disagreement.

Molotov had tried to make a trade and failed. Stalin, confident of the effectiveness of the blockade, had given us a chance to delay our plans for a Western German government, without loss of prestige. When we refused, he lost interest in discussions that would produce nothing of benefit to the Soviet Union. From the Kremlin's point of view it remained only to conclude the incident in such a way as to get the greatest amount of propaganda for itself and to place the maximum blame on the West.

Neither Stalin nor Molotov believed that the airlift could supply Berlin.

But the Kremlin made the same mistake the Germans made in the past—they underestimated their opponents.

When, in December, 1948, at their city elections, the people of Berlin repudiated the Communist party, the Kremlin certainly knew that their offensive in Berlin had failed. Our "counter-blockade," preventing shipments from Western Germany to Eastern Germany, was hurting the economy of the Soviet zone and, indirectly, that of the Soviet Union, more than the direct blockade of Berlin was hurting its people or us.

It remained for the Kremlin only to pick the best tactical moment to reopen the discussions, and those results are too recent to require repetition.

The blockade was lifted; but we did not give up our plans for a Western German government or abandon the currency reform. The attempt to "starve out" Berlin gained the Russians nothing. Indeed, they lost a great deal.

This does not mean that Berlin is a settled question. Germany has become the pivot of power in Europe, and Berlin is in many respects the heart of the German problem.

The Soviet Union has moved steadily and rapidly to establish a Communist society in the Soviet zone of Germany.

It is possible that the Soviet Union will seek to avoid the necessity of deciding ultimately between Poland and Germany on the Oder-Neisse line by endeavoring to weld Poland, Czechoslovakia and Eastern Germany into a tight economic unit, which would be oriented toward a little Ruhr in the Silesian basin.

In view of the Soviet line of

action, the importance of integrating the economy of Western Germany into that of Western Europe can hardly be overestimated. Western Germany would not, of course, be given any priority by us over Western European countries that have suffered at German hands. On the contrary, the Western German economy will be rehabilitated within the framework of the program for general European economic recovery. Certainly the Western European Union will have a place for a Germany when it has been reshaped politically along democratic lines. Restrictions on German control of the Ruhr, which necessarily would result from an international agreement covering the control of these resources so vital to the economy of Western Europe, would be much more acceptable to the Germans if that plan envisaged a contribution on their part to a larger Western European Union in the same way as other Western European countries also would be making substantial contributions of one kind or another toward this goal.

In the final analysis, the solution of the German problem, at least insofar as Western Germany is concerned, will depend inevitably on the westward economic and political orientation of the Germans, as fostered by the common policies of Western occupying powers, and on integration of Western Germany into the Western European community. A development along these lines seems to offer the best guarantee of future security.

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Another installment of "My Three Years in Moscow" will be published in the *Victoria Times* tomorrow. These memoirs of General Smith are being published simultaneously by the *New York Times* and the *Daily Telegraph* of London. In France they are being syndicated by *Opera Mundi* of Paris. In January, they will be published in book form by J. B. Lippincott Company in the United States, and by Heinemann in Great Britain.

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## Writer Argues Canada's Navy Should Build Up Air Arm

OTTAWA (CP)—The controversy within the navy over whether Canada should keep her one aircraft carrier erupted today in its own magazine, the *Crownest*.

It published a staunch defence of carriers as "an intrinsic part of a navy's doctrine, thought, philosophy and training."

A fleet air arm champion pen-named "Seahawk" used the *Crownest* to argue against those who contend the 18,000-ton carrier Magnificent and satellite aircraft should go.

The argument against Canada having a fleet air arm is that the R.C.N. is too small to divide its capacities; that it should concentrate on a small, surface-ship fleet in preparing for anti-submarine warfare. The air arm takes roughly one-fifth of the navy's budget.

"Seahawk" builds up a powerful case against that argument. These are among his points:

1. Winston Churchill himself has said "the only thing that ever really frightened me during

the war was the U-boat peril."

2. The merchant ship of today is as vulnerable to submarine attack as ever and there is no prospect that it will get much faster. But the sub has achieved such high submerged speeds and ability to stay below water that "the odds have changed dramatically in its favor." And Russia has more than 200 submarines.

3. Allied ship sinkings in 1944 were a mere 3 per cent of those in 1942. "In part this was due to increased numbers of surface escorts with better radar, but in the main to the use of carrier aircraft."

### EASY TARGET

4. A surfaced submarine is easy prey to an aircraft. Only aircraft have retained their speed advantage over the new subs. Surface ships have lost it.

5. Submarines aided by air reconnaissance "are a far more deadly weapon." Reconnaissance planes from Europe now could cover most of the Atlantic. They could only be handled by friendly fighters operating from carriers. Of the argument that Canada

## Winnipeg Woman To Be Buried Here

Funeral services will be held in Victoria Friday for Mrs. Isabelle Johnson, socially prominent Winnipeg woman, who moved to this city three years ago. She died Tuesday in Mt. St. Mary's Hospital, aged 58.

Born in Ontario, she went to Winnipeg as a child and lived there for 55 years. She was an active member of the Women's Canadian Club and various musical groups.

She is survived by her husband, Walter, in Victoria; and two daughters, Mrs. John (Alma) Hubert and Mrs. P. J. (Norma) O'Brien, both at Koksilah.

Funeral services will be conducted Friday at 2.30 at Sands by Rev. M. A. J. Waters. Interment will follow at Royal Oak.

can rely on Allied carriers, "Seahawk" says "a modern navy can no more train without its air component than it can do the actual fighting without it."



**FLOOD PATROL**—U.S. Coast Guard "Duck" patrols the area near Conway, Wash., searching for victims of the flood which struck the fertile Skagit River valley following a severe rain storm, described as one of the heaviest ever to hit the Pacific northwest, caused the death of 22 persons.—(NEA Photo)

## New Approach Seen In Delay Of Steel Bill In Britain

LONDON (CP)—Labor's decision to reverse its field on steel nationalization is regarded as an outstanding political irony.

By softening the terms of its bill to nationalize iron and steel, the government in effect agreed with the Conservative House of Lords that the industry should be left alone until after the next election.

This represents a new approach. For two years Labor argued vigorously that nothing should be allowed to interfere with the proposed legislation. Come what may, Socialists said, iron and steel would be brought under state control.

Any suggestion that the Conservative majority in the Lords might delay the take-over until after the election was ridiculed. To Socialist supporters, it was unthinkable that a hereditary body of peers could thwart the wishes of the elected House of Commons with its large Labor majority.

But the government finally

## Ex-Lawyer Held

MONTREAL (CP)—Richard Robert, 36, Montreal, a former lawyer, was arrested Wednesday, to be held for Vancouver police who want him on several charges of false pretences. Montreal police said Robert will be kept in the cells until arrival of Vancouver officers.

decided to compromise with the Lords. Instead of a Lords' proposal postponing the steel take-over until Oct. 1, 1950, the government substituted one saying the corporation which would run the nationalized industry should not be appointed until that date.

The wording was different, but the meaning was the same.

Thus the Lords had triumphed, and Conservatives in the Commons enjoyed a satisfactory interlude when government spokesmen sought to explain the change in heart.

Now the fate of steel hinges on the election, which must come before next summer. If Labor is returned, nationalization will be just a formality; if the Conservatives win, the bill will be scrapped.

## Canada's October Salt-Water Fish 124,130,000 Pounds

OTTAWA (CP)—Salt-water fishermen landed 124,130,000 pounds, worth \$4,122,000 of sea fish during October, the Bureau of Statistics reported Wednesday. It the same month last year, when prices were higher, catches were 114,170,000 pounds valued at \$6,220,000.

For the first 10 months of this year, landings totaled 989,841,000 pounds, valued at \$47,360,000 compared with 1,045,492,000 pounds valued at \$53,536,000 in the same period of 1948.

The Pacific coast catch was 71,033,000 pounds, 2.5 per cent higher than last year, and the bureau said the salmon run apparently stopped more abruptly than last year, with herring fisheries swinging into stride more rapidly. Salmon catches were down nearly 13,400,000 pounds and herring catches were 15,700,000 pounds higher.

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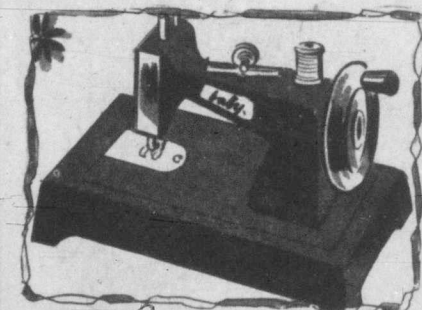
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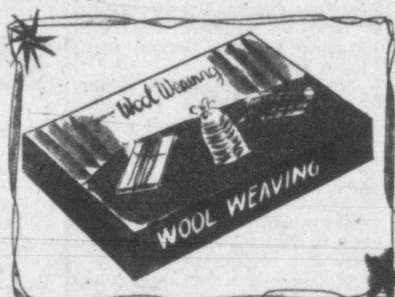


## Sewing Machine

Works just like Mother's—a tiny hand-operated machine for junior dressmaker. Safety cover on the foot, tension and stitch adjuster—even rubber tips for no-mar use on polished tables! Each

14.95

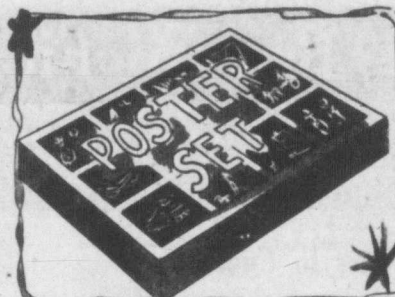
Other models in lighter construction from 2.25



## Wool Weaving

Miniature hand weaving loom, strongly built of solid wood, together with curved bodkins and complete instructions for weaving ribbed or linen fabrics. Loom is threaded and weaving started for the young artist. Each

65c



## Poster Set

This is a senior childcraft game very much like "stick 'em for fun" but requiring more skill. Complete with poster cardboards, sticker sheets and gay red plastic scissors. Set

75c



## Wood-Burning Set

An old favourite, modernized and electrified. The cork-covered burning unit ensures safe operation, and is equipped with 5 sizes of points. Set includes water colour painting outfit, embossing foil and 10 boards. De luxe set

4.98

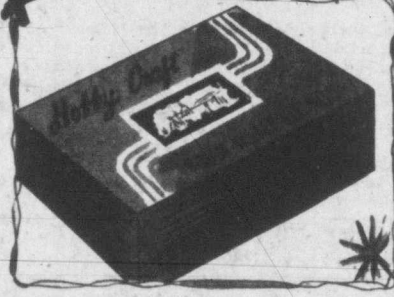
Smaller set, 3.00



## Wonderbrix

The new plastic and stone toy building blocks in true-to-scale prefabricated house style. Each "brick" represents a house section, including transparent windows, doors and a variety of roofs to complete a cabin or chalet. Set

3.45

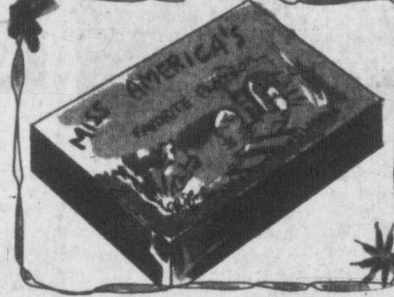


## Moulding Kit

Rubber moulds, paints and moulding powder make up a kit that promises hours of instructive fun. Powder may also be treated for sculpturing. Per set

4.00

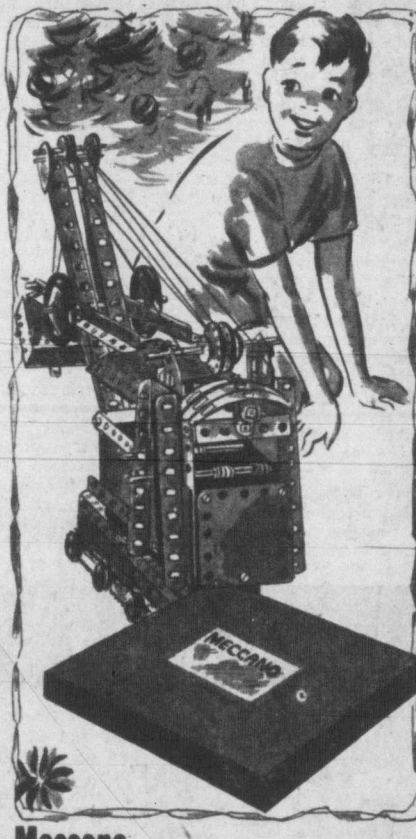
Other sets, 1.75 and 3.50



## Sewing Kit

"Miss America"—playbox of sewing and embroidery equipment, including a frame, embroidery floss, needles, thread, scissors, tape, patterns, lengths of material and cloths stamped for embroidering. Complete with doll to wear the clothes' Set

2.15

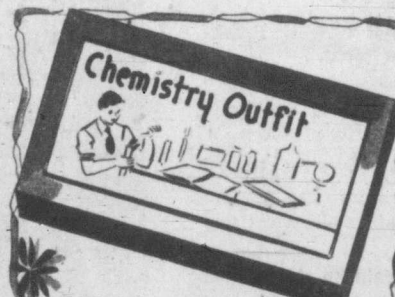


## Meccano

Real engineering in miniature—meccano is a system of interchangeable parts—strips, plates, gears, wheels, nuts, bolts, etc., with which any boy can build wonderful working models. Every outfit includes a selection of meccano parts, a screw driver, spanner and book of instructions. Set No. 5

8.75

Other Sets from No. 0 at 1.60 to No. 9 at 45.00



## Gilbert Chemistry Outfit

Here are test tubes, racks, instruments and chemicals to make up a very complete laboratory for the young chemist. Illustrated manual gives complete instruction. Set

3.50

Advanced sets from 4.95 to 25.50



## Gilbert Microscope Set, No. 6

Comprehensive kit of powerful 8-inch microscope with Polaroid junior for clearer vision, plus test tubes, slides, covers, vials of crystals and fluids, various instruments, and a 112-page manual of instruction. Set

9.75

Other sets from 3.95



## Tool Box and Kit

Heavy metal tool box with lock and key to keep the young carpenter's tools safe. Tools include saw, chisel, wrenches, pliers, plane, hammer, etc. Set, complete

4.98

Other sets from 79¢



## Dinky Builder

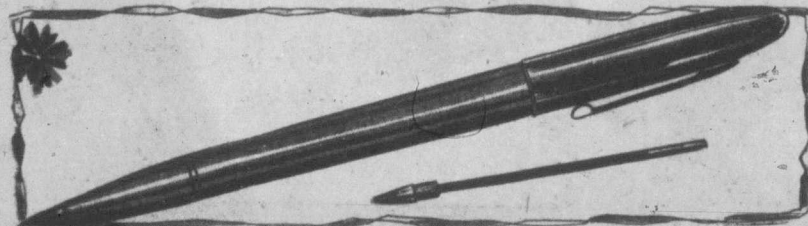
Simple constructional toy for younger children. The Dinky Builder hinged plates and rods make houses, furniture, cars—and may be used again and again. Nuts and bolts are not used.

No. 1 Dinky Builder, set, 2.75  
No. 2 Dinky Builder, set, 5.25  
No. 1A Dinky Builder, accessory set, 2.75

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# Special Purchase! "Kenny" Ball Point Pens

Remarkably Low Priced!



A special purchase enables us to offer these well-known ballpoint pens at such a low price. They are expertly tooled with a precision ball point and have sturdy yellow metal caps and pocket clips. Buy for yourself! Buy for gifts! In an attractive box with an extra refill.

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1.00



# EATON'S...the Friendly Christmas Store

## Winter Coat Time is Here

EATON'S invites you to come in and get excited with us over our collection of wool fleeces, velours and twills... coats that are fashioned for many winters to come! Fitted or belted styles and a few that can be worn with or without dog leash belts. You'll choose yours for dress-up occasions, for sports wear, for town or country... you'll find coats fashioned for all kinds of activities, in colours that are most vibrant and flattering for winter... browns, greens, greys, tans, reds and blues. Sizes 12 to 20.

**45.00**

EATON'S—COATS,  
FASHION FLOOR

## Special Value! All-Wool Pullovers

Soft, napped Botany wool sweaters that would make a fine gift for school or working girls. Smartly styled with long sleeves and neat round neckline. Come in a nice array of colours including ruby, powder, dark green, copper and white. Take advantage of this timely offer and save! Sizes 14 to 20.

SPECIAL, Friday,

**2.88**

EATON'S—SWEATERS, FASHION FLOOR

## Clearance of Woollen Skirts

You'll find flared styles and straight styles among this collection of soft wool skirts... clearing at this one very low price! They're grand for gifts, or for school and office wear. Choose from three attractive styles... one style has a six-gore flare, another straight cut with two large pockets, the third featuring a long front pleat in a slim silhouette. Colours include black, brown, wine, navy and dark green. Sizes 12 to 20 collectively.

**2.88**

EATON'S—SPORTSWEAR,  
FASHION FLOOR

A Budget Fashion...

## Special Selling of Lightweight Suits

Light-weight woodwind and crease-resistant... what more could you wish for travelling, for the office! And the price... well, you can see for yourself it's a new low for such high styling... just look at the jacket, it features important pockets, lots of button detail and a trim notched collar... the skirt is straight cut, with front slit for ease in walking, and side zipper fastening. Choose yours in rust, emerald, moss and blue. Sizes 12 to 18.

Special

**8.99**

EATON'S—SPORTSWEAR,  
FASHION FLOOR

## A Gift of Devonware

### For a Merry Christmas at Home

A timely shipment of this artistic, colourful ware has arrived at EATON'S China Department! For your own home or for Christmas giving these popular pieces will give years of pleasure... they're chip resistant, richly coloured, and, most important, considerably priced!

A few of the many pieces on display include:

- Fruit Plaques.....each, 1.00 to 2.00
- Floral Plaques.....each, 1.25
- Bambi Plaques.....each, 2.00
- Game Bird Plaques.....each, 3.00
- Horse Head Plaques.....each, 1.50
- Multi Fruit Plaques.....each, 1.25
- Kitten String Holders.....each, 1.25
- Varied Character Figurines.....each, 2.50
- Mandarins.....pair, 6.00
- Ming and Top.....pair, 6.00
- Chinese Readers.....pair, 6.00

EATON'S—CHINA, GOVERNMENT STREET

## Christmas Spice

Luxurious and dainty in appearance... they're the traditional and the most beautiful of gifts for the lady on your list!

- All-white linen hanky, with embroidered initial and hemstitched edge. Approximately 11 inches square. **20c**
- Cotton all-white hanky, dainty floral type initial, hemstitched edge. Approximately 12 inches square. **25c**
- Chinese hanky, embroidered in floral patterns, hand-rolled hem. Approx. 11 inches square. **59c**
- Irish linen hanky with Chinese embroidery in all white. Hand-rolled hem. Approximately 11 inches square. **75c**
- Swiss-made linen hanky with all-white linen centre and wide lace trim. Approximately 11 inches square. **75c**
- Swiss-made cotton hanky with plain centre and lovely lace trim. Approximately 12 inches square. **1.25**

EATON'S—  
HANDKERCHIEFS,  
MAIN FLOOR

Frivolous but essential—a lovely gift, one of our inimitable scarves from our collection on the Main Floor.

- Real silk scarves in paisley, stripes floral and figured designs. Black, blue, grey, green, brown and yellow. **2.95**
- Real silk scarves in floral patterns. Colours of blue, green, grey and rose. **2.50**
- Silk sweater scarves in 22 inches square star design. In tan, green, orange, red and blue. **2.25**
- Creme de chine scarves in paisley designs. Colours of navy, brown, green, yellow and red. **1.95**
- Sheer chiffon mitt or sweater scarves. Approx. 24 inches square, hand-rolled hems. In green, taupe, turquoise, rust, mauve, pink and black. **1.49**

EATON'S—SCARVES,  
MAIN FLOOR

## Bras to Fit Every Fashion

Buy all your bra needs on one grand swoop. No matter what your figure type, you'll find it here... among our collection of bras in wonder-working nylon, shimmering satin and fresh white batiste.

- Gothic Elfin brassiere of fine satin. In blue, daffodil, green and white. Sizes 32 to 36. **1.95**
- Gothic Elliptic style in nylon and satin with elastic back. Sizes 32 to 38. **3.50**
- Wonder Bra in fine quality white nylon. Sizes 32 to 36. **1.75**
- Wonder Brad in fine quality white satin. Sizes 32 to 36. **1.75**
- Perma Lift... with the famous cushion insert. From fine quality nylon, in blue or white. Sizes 32 to 38. **3.50**
- Perma Lift for the heavier figure. In soft white satin... average and full fitting. Sizes 32 to 38. **2.95**
- Plunging neckline features this Life Bra... made of fine quality nylon. Sizes 32 to 36. **3.50**
- Flexee strapless brassiere... of strong batiste trimmed with white. Nylon net elastic back. Sizes 32 to 38. **2.75**
- Fairform strapless brassiere made of fine quality satin. In black, white, pink and blue. Sizes 32 to 36. **1.50**

EATON'S—FOUNDATIONS, FASHION FLOOR

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**EATON'S**Advance Showing  
of 1950*Tropicanas***8 New Patterns Exclusive with EATON'S  
In Colourful, Easy-to-Wash ATC Spun Rayon  
In Time For Your Christmas Gift Planning!**

Charming Tropicanas are back . . . this time in a host of exciting new styles and patterns, but at the same welcome low price. Here are fresh, appealing dresses to wear "at home" in the holiday season or to pack away for future wear. Note the clever collar and sleeve detail . . . the button trim to accent smooth slim line! Be sure you see this important Tropicana presentation at EATON'S Friday.

A—Conventional block pattern in cap sleeve dress with pointed collar . . . buttons down back. Grey, tan, green. Sizes 11 to 17.

B—Dot-stripe patterned spun rayon in classic tailored coat dress, sports notched collar, short sleeves, grey, green, tan. Sizes 20½ to 24½.

C—"Fleur de Lis" pattern in zip-up-front style; short sleeves and wide spread wing collar. Blue, navy, brown, black. Sizes 12 to 18.

D—Highway scene pattern in two-piece coat dress. Plastic buttons, versatile notch collar. Lime, blue, pink, turquoise. Sizes 12 to 20.

E—Vertical stripe pattern, fly front style with notch collar, short sleeves, leatherette belt. Wine, green, brown and navy. Sizes 38 to 44.

F—Daisy design in popular button-down front dress with square neckline. Navy, turquoise, grey, blue. Sizes 16½ to 24½.

G—Black motif design in button-down front dress with V neckline and short sleeves. Tan, blue, turquoise, navy. Sizes 38 to 44.

**4.98**  
each

Misses' Sizes, 12 to 20.  
Junior Sizes, 11 to 17.  
Women's Sizes, 38 to 44.  
Half Sizes, 16½ to 24½.

Your shopping will be made more convenient and enjoyable by extra sales staff, extra parcelers, extra cashiers. If unable to shop in person, mail and phone orders will be carefully and promptly filled. Please state second colour choice.

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## Senior 'B' Teams To Enter Playdowns

KIMBERLEY, B.C. (CP)—Senior B hockey teams in both Kimberley and Cranbrook will enter provincial playdowns at the end of the current season. Kimberley Lions will make a bid for the Junior A championship. The Kimberley Senior B team got to the provincial finals last year, but were defeated by Nanaimo Clippers.

A Commercial League composed of three Kimberley teams

**RUSTY RILEY**

HEY! WHAT'RE YOU DOIN' IN MY SHEEP PASTURE WITH THAT DOG? WHO ARE YOU ANYHOW?

Third Race—  
Tinner Bud (Longden) 810-90 86 85  
Powrie (Gifford) 12-70 8  
Sard Land (Parker) 26  
Scratched: Joe Berger, Win Out, Cas  
Hack, Hechanity.

Fourth Race—  
Gray Shadow (Gillon) \$3.10 83-40 82  
Sinnah (Baker) 13-10 5  
Star Role (Lasswell) 12-10 5  
Scratched: Gypsy Joe, May Rak  
Decline

## Driver Acquitted

An Assize Court jury this afternoon acquitted Russell Lloyd Brown charged with wilful neglect (wanton driving). The charge arose from an accident last May on Shelbourne Street, in which four-year-old

IN PATTY MILES, AND  
 HIS IS RUSTY RILEY-  
 HE LIVES AT MILESTONE  
 FARM

WELL, I DON'T  
 DOGS IN HERE  
 OUT-AN QUICK  
 ENOUGH TO

The Hound (Gilleson) .....	\$5.00	\$2.00	\$2.40
Rebo Upstart (West) .....		3.00	2.40
..... (Gardner) .....		2.00	2.00
Scratched: Teddy, Reish, High .....			2.10
Kenne Lalour, Upsett, Sequia, Chio, Willis .....			2.00
Daily Double—\$15.00.			
Third Race			
Juak (Coffman) .....	\$7.00	\$6.40	\$4.40
Im Don (Porch) .....		8.40	3.80
Madcap Nary (Leason) .....		8.40	4.40
Scratched: Diamond Jane .....			
Fourth Race			
Prost Britten (Coffman) .....	\$9.00	\$4.00	\$2.80
The Inch (Lester) .....		8.40	3.60
Siddens (Bailey) .....		8.40	3.60
Fifth Race			
Jobie K (Madden) .....	\$5.00	\$3.60	\$2.80
Chic Rose (Chappi) .....		13.00	4.40
Chic (Groomer) .....			2.80
Sixth Race			
Lovine Tins (Hart) .....	\$15.00	\$3.40	\$2.80
Foray Vina (Lewis) .....		4.20	3.20
..... (Groomer) .....			2.40
Seventh Race			
Cassina (Ferriolo) .....	\$21.20	\$12.00	\$6.00

I WANT NO PART OF HIM. I'VE HAD ENOUGH OF HIM!

OKAY, MISTER—BUT FLIP WOULDN'T HURT A SHEEP IF HE WANTED TO PLAY WITH THEM.

ALL THE OTHERS ARE THREE SHEEPS AND I THINK SHEEP-KILLING IS A VERY NICE PASTIME HERE. SHEEP ARE SO EASY TO KILL—

—AND HIS COME!

passage. It will allow the government to lend up to \$10,000,000 to the Atlantic coast coal operators.

Trade Minister C. D. Howe, its sponsor, said the government's object was to increase efficiency of production through improved mechanization of the mines. This had been recommended by the Royal Commission on Coal nearly three years ago as necessary if production was to be boosted, he said.

## Heads Civic Theatre

VANCOUVER (CP)—William Buckingham, lawyer, radio actor and play producer, has been

At Port Alberni, gale force winds tore a seaplane from its moorings and dumped it on the beach. Damage was estimated at \$10,000. The plane was owned by the Tahsis Lumber Company. The Capilano Bailey span fell just five minutes after police on the advice of engineers, had halted all traffic over the span.

George Powell, 26, an Indian fisherman who disappeared Oct. 10 in a storm on Queen Charlotte Sound. The American fishermen, from Bellingham, Wash., found the body 100 miles north of where Powell is believed to have drowned.

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## Provinces Advise On Curbing Comics

OTTAWA (CP)—Justice Minister Carson announced today that the attorneys-general of all but one province have forwarded "very excellent advice" about a bill that would curb crime

Click also is under indictment